

RAID ON JOBS BLOCKED BY G. O. P. WHIP

covered a gang of burglars who had been robbing ranches and homes in Fresno and vicinity for several weeks. Thousands of dollars' worth of goods were taken, the police said. The officers announced that the majority of the members of the gang had confessed their participation in

SNOWBALL NEARLY COSTS MAN'S EYE; THROWN BY GIRL

SAN JOSE, Dec. 21.—John H. McRabbin, a rancher, was treated at a local hospital today for glass found about his right eye caused, it is stated, by being struck by a snowball thrown by a girl with a red tam. The tam was flying in the air as he was passing down First street with an armful of Christmas presents. McRabbin was wearing a pair of glasses which were broken by the impact of the frozen missile, and he narrowly escaped being blinded, physicians said.

Allies and Germans May Reach Agreement

BRUSSELS, Dec. 21 (By Associated Press).—Progress made since the beginning of the second financial conference has encouraged allied delegates to believe that when the conference adjourns on Thursday for Christmas, serious differences between them and the Germans will have disappeared. Both sides continue to be conciliatory, and the fact that the conference will reconvene on January 1 is considered as a hopeful augury.

COURT DECLARES EMPLOYEES MUST BE PROVIDED FOR

TOPEKA, Kas., Dec. 21.—Flour mills in Kansas which have curtailed production must take care of faithful and skilled men during the period of industrial depression so that these employees may provide a living for their families, the Kansas court of industrial relations ruled in an opinion today. The court held that the flour mills which had curtailed production were not operating on such a small scale as to affect the public. The court held the mills had the right to curtail production because of market conditions over which they have no control. However, faithful employees must be taken care of, the court decided.

City Woodyard to Have Turkey Dinner

Under the direction of Harry G. Williams, city auditor, arrangements are being completed for a committee from the Oakland Merchants' Exchange for the annual Municipal Woodyard Christmas dinner which will be served at 2 o'clock Christmas Day at the woodyard, 252 Eighth street.

Turkeys, plum puddings, fruits, nuts, vegetables—everything appropriate for a holiday feast—have been purchased by the Merchants' Exchange and will be prepared and served to the occupants of the municipal woodyard. Tickets admitting the bearer to the dinner can be obtained by applying at the Merchants' Exchange offices, 412 Thirteenth street.

MEDALS FOR VETERANS

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 21.—Governor Stephens will present war service decorations to fifty world war veterans and certificates of merit to six others at a dinner of the Society of Colonial Wars here tonight.

UNION SCHOOL BOND ISSUE IS DEFEATED

SAN JOSE, Dec. 21.—The first failure in the consolidation program being conducted throughout the county to place high schools in rural districts was recorded yesterday when the people of the Palo Alto, Berryessa and Jackson districts defeated a \$100,000 bond project which would have placed a new high school in a central location. The vote was 174 for the issue and 159 against it. T. D. Landels, chairman of the board of trustees of the consolidated district, stated that a campaign of education for the issue would be continued and said that the proposal would be placed before the voters at some future period.

City Sues S. P. for Fire Truck Wreck

The City of Oakland has just begun a suit before Superior Judge Fred Wood for \$1575 damages against the Southern Pacific Company for the wrecking of a fire truck March 15 at Sixth and Webster street by an electric train. The city charges that the motorman left his post at the time the car struck the fire truck.

At the time of the collision the fire truck was proceeding from the street fire station at a moderate rate of speed, the complaint charges and had turned in on Webster street when the electric car crashed into the rear end.

MURPHY FOUND GUILTY, KRIVOSKY TRIAL IS OPENED

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They done now so I wouldn't have no alibi or anything." Then Ernest Spagnoli, defense counsel, swore himself and took the stand in what, at another time, would have been the farcical procedure of questioning himself about a witness he said he had subpoenaed and who he failed to appear. This was called "preserving the record."

DEFENDANT'S WIFE ON WITNESS STAND

After that Mrs. Murphy took the stand. The first question almost was as to her exact neighborhood next month. It brought a burst of tears. Spagnoli tried to get into the record alleged threats by the police made to Mrs. Murphy. The evidence was not admissible. The witness took control of the situation herself. "Mr. Riley," she wanted to state's counsel, "why won't you let me tell my story like you let those other girls do? Can't you see they're just trying to frame that boy?"

The court's gentle admonition went for naught a minute later when Spagnoli, admitting defeat, asked the witness to step down, and, instead, she turned to the jurors and began a statement that could not be stopped and which was, if anything, more agonizing than that uttered by the defendant's mother. "You ladies and gentlemen of the jury. Don't take that boy that's innocent away from me. Think of my babies. It's my life and everything. My God, I rather die than this."

It was a trying ordeal for all present and Murphy showed his moment of greatest concern when she stepped down and he arose and took her by the arm and placed her in the chair beside him. "That's our case," said Spagnoli. On defense motion argument was limited to an hour on a side and began at 1:30 in the evening. Spagnoli argued the Murphy alibi chiefly.

San Jose Theater to Be Wholly Remodeled

SAN JOSE, Dec. 21.—Work of remodeling the Jose theater started yesterday morning. James Beatty, president of the Liberty Amusement company and owner of the Jose, announced that it will be turned into one of the finest playhouses in this city.

Frank Lewis Hamon Files Divorce Suit

PHOENIX, Ariz., Dec. 21.—Frank Lewis Hamon, nephew of the late Jake L. Hamon, multi-millionaire Oklahoma oil man and politician, today filed suit in the Maricopa county court for a divorce from Mrs. Gertrude Ruth Walker Hamon of Sacramento, Cal.

Cruelty is the basis of the complaint. Hamon declares on one occasion his wife threatened him with a loaded revolver. Before his marriage to his present wife, Hamon married Clara Smith Hamon, now wanted by authorities in connection with the death of Jake Hamon.

Island of Yap Is Rocked By Quakes

TOKYO, Dec. 21 (By Associated Press).—A naval wireless message from the island of Yap, in the South Pacific ocean, announces that the most violent earthquake shocks occurred in the vicinity of the island, lasting several days. The earth shocks were followed Saturday by a storm.

Smudge Pots Fired In Citrus Orchards

RIVERSIDE, Cal., Dec. 21.—There was no damage to oranges or lemons last night, according to reports from the H. A. Lynn of the Arlington Heights Fruit Company. Smudge pots were burning after midnight. The lowest temperature was 26 at 2 o'clock this morning. Fire examined shows no ice. In the Pomona and Orange sections smudge pots were burned the greater part of the night and a cloud of black smoke is hanging over that section this morning.

BOY HOLDS UP CAPITOL; DAD PART OF LOOT

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 21.—A deputy sheriff today is on his way back to Portland empty-handed, and four-year-old Ferdinand Chavez is returning to San Francisco with his father as part of the loot the youngster secured when he "held up" the capital late yesterday. A box of cookies and much candy was also included in his haul. Extrajudicial of Chavez, senior, was sought by the Oregon officer on the charge that he had kidnapped the boy and pointed a pistol at a neighbor who objected. Chavez showed that he held a court order giving him possession of the child and the "revolver" was shown to be a water pistol which the child used to "stick up" the governor's office. The child obtained the cookies and candies during the hold-up.

Nine Fliers Rescued After Fall Into Sea

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS. LEASED WIRE TO TRIBUNE. SAN DIEGO, Dec. 21.—Nine officers and men flying from San Pedro to San Diego in P-3-L seaplane No. 11, were rescued tonight from their disabled plane by a destroyer off Delmar, 25 miles north of this city. Their plane had been tossing about in the water for more than five hours.

Father Dead, Son Is Dying From Accident

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 21.—John E. Picot, 250 Williams avenue, is dead and his son George is thought to be dying as a result of a collision of the Picot automobile with an electric train at Williams and Railway avenues this morning.

Picot, senior, who was driving, it is said, rounded a turn and drove directly in front of the approaching car. There was a crash and the automobile was sent spinning to the side of the street, where it overturned and caught both men fast under the debris.

Don Pedro's Remains Are Delayed By Wreck

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS. LEASED WIRE TO TRIBUNE. LISBON, Dec. 21.—Ceremonies preparatory to removing to Brazil the remains of the late Don Pedro of Brazil and his wife have been delayed by the wreck near the Portuguese frontier of a train bringing Count and Countess D'Eu and Prince Pedro from Paris.

Constantine Asks Cabinet to Stay

ATHENS, Dec. 21.—Premier Rallis yesterday tendered to King Constantine the resignation of the Greek cabinet, but was requested to remain in office until Parliament begins its session. During his visit to the palace, Rallis encountered Princess Catherine, youngest daughter of Constantine.

San Jose Notes

RUNAWAY HURTS RANCHER. SAN JOSE, Dec. 21.—John Santos, a Milpitas rancher, was seriously injured today when a team pulling an automobile and ran away. Physicians were called and stated that he possibly had sustained internal injuries.

Honoring Miss Teba Bland, Mrs. E. Randall acted as hostess at a bridge tea Saturday. The Christmas spirit was carried out in the decorations, branches of pine greenery and sprays of Teyon berries adding a bright color to the living room at the handsome residence. A miniature Christmas tree, daintily trimmed and decorated, adorned the tea table around which the guests gathered. Those present included Mrs. J. H. Bland, Mrs. Letta Bland, Miss Katherine Gubetich, Miss Richi, Miss Margaret Richi, Mrs. Frank Campbell, Mrs. Rae Maynard and Miss Marjory Gilchrist.

Members of the Local Workers passed a delightful social afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. S. Parkhurst in the Willows, Saturday.

Mrs. A. M. Barker entertained for her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Chester Wing Barker, tea at her home some home on the Alameda Saturday. Mrs. J. R. Wing was also a member of the receiving party. The reception rooms of the residence were decorated with greenery and Teyon berries for the occasion, while the tea table had a beautiful center decoration of chrysanthemums and greenery.

On Christmas day, at the Vendome hotel, Fred W. Tescler, the owner, will be the host at a Christmas party, entertaining the children from the Home of Benevolence. There will be a delightful program of songs, a Christmas tree and gifts for all the little ones who attend. Carols will be sung and songs given by the pupils of Miss Ahmet.

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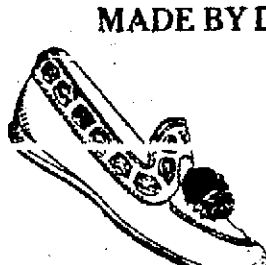
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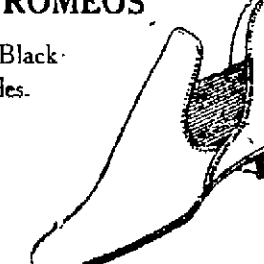
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HU AND SUES FOR \$5,000 DAMAGES

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 21. — Suit for \$50,000 brought by Melvin Swain, 378 Golden Gate avenue, against A. Tupaia, said to be an automobile dealer of Los Angeles, has come as an aftermath of the domestic troubles of Swain and his wife, Mrs. Euehia Swain. On September 15 Mrs. Swain was found in her apartment suffering from poison self-administered. She died the next day. Swain charges Tupaia with alienating her affections.

Clerks Name New Officers for Term

Announcement was made today by members of Retail Clerk's Union, Local 47, of their new officers, which were elected at their last meeting for a period of six months. The new elected officers are: President, J. C. Threeway; first vice-president, R. Desimons; second vice-president, C. A. Gary; secretary, J. E. Swannock; treasurer, A. D. Alvarez; guide, A. Silvey; guard, W. K. Jones; trustees, J. J. Hare, W. O. Wrigglesworth and G. B. Garcia. R. Desimons and G. B. Garcia were chosen as delegates to the labor council, and A. D. Alvarez was elected as delegate to the Bay Cities Federation of Retail Clerks.

CELEBRATE CHRISTMAS
Members of Oakland Council No. 234, United Commercial Travelers of America, will hold their annual Christmas tree celebration tomorrow night at Maple hall. The program will begin at 8:30 o'clock. After the program the evening will be spent in dancing.

13,000 HUNGRY GERMAN BOYS TO GET MINCE PIE

BERLIN, Dec. 21. — Thirteen thousand German university students will have the first opportunity to eat real mince pies when the American Friends Service Committee serves them Christmas dinner. The Quaker Relief Commission has ordered thirty cases of mincemeat from England and will distribute it, with flour and instructions in German as to how to make pies to eighteen universities, where poor students now are being served one hot meal daily.

Las Trampas Peak Hike Is Planned

The hiking trip to Las Trampas Peak, which was postponed last week because of the rain, is announced for Sunday by the Contra Costa Hills Club. The start will be made from Fortieth street and Eleventh avenue at 9:30 a. m. Harold French, president, will lead the eight-mile round trip hike. Three trips on alternate Sundays are arranged for next month, beginning January 2. Temescal Lake, Niles Canyon and a walk from Grizzly Peak to Redwood Canyon are scheduled. Oakland Recreation Department is now the official address of the club.

IS 90 YEARS OLD.
F. T. Du Rose, 1226 Poplar street, celebrated his ninetieth birthday last Saturday. Du Rose was formerly a San Francisco manufacturer. He was a lieutenant in the First California Guard, Light Artillery, and also a life member of Company C, First Regiment, National Guard. Later he was president of the Palace Salt Water Baths.

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Women's Silk Hose

Pure thread silk hose in black and gray; also fancy stripes; sizes 8½, 9 and 9½ **\$1**

Girls' Wool Tams

Girls' warm, serviceable tams of brushed wool. The colors are red and navy. These are very unusually priced for the one day at two for..... **\$1**

Boys' Overalls

Boys' blue denim bib overalls, a well made garment, cut full to sizes. Sale **\$1**

Women's Kimonos

Women's short flannelette kimonos with long sleeves, in popular colors. This is an unusual buy for now at..... **\$1**

Men's Union Suits

Cotton ribbed garments of a finer grade in ecrú only and mostly in large sizes—sale at..... **\$1**

Men's Caps

A lot of 200, broken lines of finer grades taken from our upstairs stocks—worth two and three times the sale price of.. **\$1**

Boys' Caps

Full cut styles of checks, plaids and plain wools—worth far more and grouped now at two for.. **\$1**

Men's Knit Ties

In many handsome shades and plain colors, novelty weaves. Worth double. They're two for **\$1**

Men's Fine Hose

Made of a fine combed cotton and are here in navy, gray, cordovan, black and white, six pairs for **\$1**

Men's Underwear

Men's shirts and drawers of medium weight wool. All sizes. Wonderful values at, garment **\$1**

Men's Lisle Hose

of an exceptionally good quality, noted for sturdy wear. Black and colors—tan, gray and others. Three pairs for..... **\$1**

Silk Plaited Hose

Also fine double sole, toe and heel lisle hose for men. Black and cordovan. Special now at two pairs for..... **\$1**

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and aprons of splendid materials, cut full size, in assorted designs and colors, for the one day only at **\$1**

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Odd Lot Sweaters

—styles for women, boys and girls in novelty effects and colors; worth far more, but special at **\$1**

Boys' School Blouses

made of Devonshire cloth, in striped patterns. These are reduced from a much higher price. Three for **\$1**

Gingham Aprons

made from a regular check gingham with bib and round neck. They are greatly reduced for this one day, three for.. **\$1**

Boys' Wool Blouses

School styles for boys of 6 and 7-year sizes only—khaki and gray. Priced to clear at, each..... **\$1**

Boys' Union Suits

Long sleeve, ankle length garments, cotton ribbed, ecrú only—a third lower than worth—each **\$1**

Petticoats

Petticoats of cotton Dresden and plain black, one could not buy the material and make them for near this price **\$1**

Men's Felt Hats

This includes our entire basement stock of felt and cloth hats or caps, in all sizes. Down to..... **\$1**

Necktie Rings

These are very neatly made and are packed in attractive gift boxes. Specially priced at two for **\$1**

Men's Work Shirts

Men's work shirts, made of iron chambray, and bear the union label, in medium blue color. They're worth a lot more. Now **\$1**

Children's Flannelette Sleepers

Only a limited quantity, but all are extremely special; made of heavy outing flannel in small sizes only..... **\$1**

Women's Gloves Odds

Broken lines of Kayser's fine silk gloves, also Fownes' Filolette gloves in black and colors. Always far more, but to be cleared at two for..... **\$1**

Jap Crepe Kimonos

with colored embroidered designs. These are well made and are in dark shades only. Specially priced at **\$1**

Vests and Pants

of ribbed fleeced material, in white. These are remarkably priced—three garments for..... **\$1**

Dressing Sacques

of figured flannelettes, in dark colors, figured, conventional and floral patterns; short styles.. **\$1**

Children's Purses

Odd lots for gift-giving—novelty effects and others in colored leathers, velvets and silks, at two for **\$1**

Boys' Collar Bags

Another special gift item—made of china silk in colors and neatly embroidered—sale price—Two for **\$1**

Girls' Outing Gowns

Girls' heavy white outing gowns, made with long sleeves and well tailored. These are remarkable values at..... **\$1**

Boudoir Caps

made of dainty silk and net combinations in a variety of delicate shades. These are deeply underpriced for one day two for..... **\$1**

Kiddies' Hats

Hundreds of children's play and school hats have been included in this one-day sale and are made of velvets and tweeds, all sizes; 2 for **\$1**

Knit Scarf Sets

Here's another Christmas saving—knit wool scarfs with smart caps to match; good colors... **\$1**

Canvas "Fit-Alls"

for carrying toilet articles while traveling; made in khaki color, with places for fittings **\$1**

Men's Suspenders

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Men's Handk'fs

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Only a limited quantity, so they're priced to clear; cotton knit for children. Two suits for **\$1**

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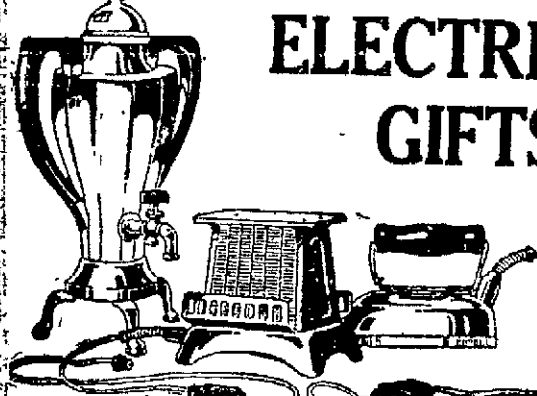


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TRIBUTE PAID BY PARISHIONERS TO BISHOP KEANE

A crowd which taxed the capacity of the ivory ballroom of the Hotel Oakland and overflowed into the corridors, assembled last night at 8:30 o'clock to pay tribute to Rev. Patrick J. Keane, formerly pastor of St. Francis de Sales church, recently consecrated auxiliary Bishop of Sacramento. Bishop Keane leaves to take up his work in the Sacramento diocese next week.

Attended on the right by Rev. Edward P. Dempsey, pastor of St. Mary's church, and on the left by Rev. P. J. Quinn of St. Anthony church, he took his place directly in front of the flower-laden platform. A guard of honor of the Knights of Columbus brought him to the rear and took his place immediately behind the prelate and his attendants.

Dr. John F. Slavich was master of ceremonies and made the first address of the evening. He expressed the love and respect of St. Francis de Sales church and of all of the Catholic churches of Oakland for Bishop Keane.

MUSICAL PROGRAM

A tenor solo, Schubert's "Ave Maria," with a violin obbligato, was then sung by Carl Anderson, who responded to an encore with "By the Waters of the Minnetauka." Oleley See, violinist, followed with two beautiful violin numbers, "Romance" and "Valse." The last number on the musical program was a vocal solo, "Hear the Gentle Lark," sung by Mrs. Ellen T. Wales.

At the address of the evening, he told of the great work done by Bishop Keane while he was pastor of St. Francis de Sales church. He will have the prayers of this community for his new work," said Kenneth. "We know that any mission that he undertakes he will accomplish."

Fourteen years ago, he was pastor of St. Francis de Sales church and during that time the whole community grew to know and to love him. Our hearts are filled with burning fires of sorrow, not because of the loss of a great man, but because of the loss of a man who by his elevation to high office means that he must leave us.

WHEN DUTY CALLS

The life of a priest is like that of a soldier. When duty calls he must go, no matter where it may be. But ere we take leave of him we wish to express our appreciation and love for him. We have benefited by the truths that he taught and the examples that he set during his pastorate here. We will never forget him.

"In closing I wish him a long life and may every effort that he may be crowned with thousand fold success."

Bishop Keane was then called upon. He paid a glowing tribute to the generosity of the parish of St. Francis de Sales, terming it "one of the best parishes in Oakland."

"The people of the parish have been ever generous and ready to aid me," he said. "I certainly feel a pang at leaving."

"I have watched the growth of Oakland and the growth of the churches of Oakland with a great deal of interest during my ten years' pastorate here. I see a great future in Oakland and prophecy that within the next quarter of a century it will be one of the leading cities of the United States."

CIVIC PRIDE SEEN

"I have noticed the high sense of civic pride which seems to be a part of every citizen of Oakland. That is one of the reasons I believe that Oakland will be successful, for a sense of civic beauty and civic pride is absolutely essential to growth."

"We must be ready to consider every question from the standpoint of the greatest good for the greatest number, and be ready to stamp out all which tends toward disunion and backwardness."

"With such a program as this there can be no clipping of your progress."

"I truthfully believe that the solution of the modern difficulties, the social problems which are arising lies in the return to the simple teachings of Christian love and Christian charity."

"I shall be leaving you within a week, but as I go I will cherish nothing but the most pleasant memories of the time I spent in the greatest parish in Oakland. I shall return from time to time to watch your growth and that of the city for you should know that I am interested in them both."

RECEPTION IS HELD

With the close of Bishop Keane's address an informal reception was held in the large orchestra furnished music both before the program and during the reception.

The Knights of Columbus, who formed the guard of honor for the bishop, include: Messrs. (from left) Hogan, Dan McGee, D. J. Sell, John Cox, Senator A. P. Anderson, J. A. Kennedy, J. J. Rosborough, C. J. Twomey, M. H. McGinness, William J. Kieferdorff, Frank G. Walsh, Thomas P. Hogan, W. J. Hays, W. A. Lynch, Frank Cornejo, Dixon L. Phillips and J. T. Moran.

The women who served on the reception committee were: Mrs. John P. Slavich, Mrs. J. A. Kennedy, Mrs. John Cox, Mrs. Pasquale Kisch, Mrs. J. M. Kane, Mrs. P. J. Hazlewood, Mrs. M. J. Huley, Mrs. James Oakley, Mrs. Walter Motte, Mrs. Peter Clinton, Mrs. Nell Gallagher, Mrs. Frederick Cair, Mrs. Arthur Cair, Mrs. Nicholas Ball, Mrs. C. J. Twomey, Mrs. J. H. Brannon, Mrs. Joseph Legault, Mrs. J. T. McGinness, Mrs. E. A. Ogden, Mrs. H. Burke, Mrs. J. V. Caine, Mrs. C. C. Kieferdorff, Miss Mollie Connors, Mrs. Laura Bride Powers, the Messrs. Dunn and Miss Anastasia Eccles.

Boy Badly Bitten By Barbershop Monkey

Following a report made today by Dr. Lee L. Smith to the health officials, the police will be asked to investigate a barber shop at Seventy-third avenue and East Fourteenth street, where John Mitchell, 57-year-old son of Peter Mitchell, 7218 East Fourteenth street, was bitten yesterday by a pet monkey. The lad is in a serious condition suffering from blood poisoning, according to Dr. Smith. According to the report made to the health authorities, the barber shop houses a number of pets.

The Mitchell boy, with playmates, went into the barber shop yesterday. One of the lad's playmates opened the door of the monkey's cage and pushed him in. The animal bit the boy three times through the right hand.

BISHOP PATRICK J. KEANE
In whose honor a reception was held last evening in the Hotel Oakland.



ACTRESS WIDS STEEL MAN

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—Edith Farn, actress, and Samuel Armstrong Benner, a widely known steel man, formerly of Pittsburgh, were married here today. The ceremony was performed in the marriage license bureau by Deputy City Clerk Cruise.

CONCERT MERITS APPROVAL GIVEN

By ROY HARRISON DAWFORTH

The Plymouth Conservatory of Music becomes one of us with the recommendation of an enjoyable inaugural concert last evening. Adjunct of Plymouth church, it promises to be of as much practical value as most of its sister departments and of an aesthetic value equal to its practical.

Last evening's concert was given by the faculty of the conservatory, a group of artists possessing, without exception, musicianship of a good order. George Edwards appeared in the triple role of director, conductor and soloist. The other soloists were Cedric Wright, violinist, John Whitcomb Nash, bass; Mrs. Harold Brodick, contralto; Mrs. Gladys MacDonald, soprano; Mrs. Margaret Avery, cellist, and Miss Dorothy M. Taylor.

An ensemble introductory number was played by organ, piano, violin and cello, and the combination furnished music of admirable texture, good volume and interesting color. Mrs. Avery and Miss Grantvick played the cello and organ parts so well that I was surprised not to find them in the later program as soloists.

Mr. Noah possesses a hoarse cantabile voice of much suavity. He sang a "Magic Flute" aria with grace, but won most applause with Olely See's "Mandala." Mrs. Brodick and Miss MacDonald's offerings were others among the pleasing vocal numbers of the program. Mr. Wright played the first movement of Mr. Edwards' sonata in C minor, a composition notable for its unusual tonality and its melodic line, with conspicuous eloquence.

The director's own playing at the piano was one of the highest lights of the evening. Defiance was first evidence in the Bach F minor prelude and fugue, but in a polonaise by de Tschernski, he gave evidence of a technique of no mean order. He played the number with great vigor, but with a sharp-edged and facile style.

The Plymouth Conservatory pro-

PETERSEN CASE TO BE AIRED TONIGHT

The seventh, thirteenth and seventeenth of the twenty-one charges brought by Commissioner Morse against former Captain of Inspectors Walter J. Petersen will be aired before the Civil Service Board tonight at the hearing of Petersen's appeal against removal.

The seventh charge alleged that Petersen gave false testimony in the Nedderman case. The thirteenth charge alleges that he obstructed the probe of the Commissioner of Public Health and Safety into alleged graft conditions, and the seventeenth charge asserts Petersen had an intimacy with the folk of the underworld.

By agreement the hearing will take up charges out of regular order.

Will Ask Reopening of Dimond Auto Camp

As a result of a meeting of the Dimond Improvement Club last night a committee will call upon the Park Commission with formal request that the Dimond automobile camp be reopened in the spring. The meeting was largely attended, and the decision was almost unanimous. The committee named included Mrs. E. C. Hand, E. C. Hand and A. Tamm.

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PLYMOUTH ROCK BROKEN WHILE BEING MOVED

PLYMOUTH, Mass., Dec. 21.—Plymouth Rock was moved and broke in the process. The split was an old one caused originally when the rock on which the Mayflower passengers landed was separated from its granite base in 1773 and hauled by a rope of oxen to Town Square. Ultimately the broken parts were joined with cement and replaced under a monumental canopy which has since been the focus of thousands of visitors to old Plymouth.

In connection with the Pilgrim tercentenary committee's work the shore line is being restored as nearly as possible to its aspect at the time of the Pilgrims' arrival 300 years ago, and a new monumental canopy is to be built. It was while excavating for this work that the rock was moved. While it was in chains the ancient cement gave way and the two parts separated, so that light could be seen between them. By tomorrow when the tercentenary exercises are held it is expected that the old base will be fully exposed and the divided rock replaced on it in its old position.

Hearing to Decide Dance Halls' Fate

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 21.—A hearing which will determine the city's policy toward the Winter Garden and other dance halls is on today before the Police Commission. Representatives of women's clubs and civic organizations, largely responsible for urging the campaign against dance halls, are attending the hearing. Specific charges against the Winter Garden have been brought by Police Captain John Mooney, who alleges that it is conducted improperly, that disorderly characters frequent it, and that as it is in the heart of a residential district, it is objectionable to house owners.

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TERCENTENARY OF PILGRIM LANDING IS CELEBRATED

PLYMOUTH, Mass., Dec. 21.—On the shore of Plymouth, where the breaking waves dashed high when the Pilgrims set foot on Plymouth Rock on December 21, 1620, their descendants joined with other distinguished men of this generation in America. Great Britain and Holland in observing today with due solemnity the tercentenary of the landing.

The orator was Senator Henry Cabot Lodge, a successor in representation in the Senate from Massachusetts of Daniel Webster, who delivered the famous "Plymouth Oration" at the two hundredth anniversary. An address was delivered by Governor Calvin Coolidge, vice-president elect, and a poem, "1620-1920," was read by Dean Le Baron R. Briggs of the faculty of Arts and Sciences of Harvard University. Hymns appropriate to the occasion were sung, including the "Landing of the Pilgrims" by Mrs. Felicia Hemans, known to every American school boy and girl for generations.

STORY OF PILGRIMS TOLD
Senator Lodge gave a scholarly outline of the Pilgrims' story and in drawing from it a lesson for present day America he pointed out that they set character first, "sought to give men freedom, both in body and mind, and tried to reduce the sum of human misery."

"Whatever our faith," he said, "whatever our belief in progress, there can be no nobler purposes for man than thus to deal with the only truth he knows and the fragment of time awarded him here. While the great republic is true in heart and deed to the memory of the Pilgrims of Plymouth you will take no detriment from the hand of time."

In stately measures Dean Briggs set forth the vision of the pilgrims and their prayerful determination:

"Freedom thy new born nation here shall cherish;
Grant us thy covenant, unchanging, sure;
Earth shall decay; the firmament shall perish;
Freedom and truth immortal shall endure."

"The pilgrims' faith, the pilgrims' courage grant us. Still shines the truth that for the pilgrim shone. We are his seed; no life, nor death shall daunt us. The port is freedom's pilgrim heart sail on."

DISTINGUISHED PARTY

The official party came from Boston on a special train and proceeded immediately to the Colony Theater, where the exercises were held.

In their number were official representatives of Great Britain and Holland, several government members of the New England judiciary, Senator Oscar W. Underwood of Alabama, and members of various societies. Senator Lodge touched upon the part of the great men of history had not accomplished the specific deeds ascribed to their names, "somebody else would have done all these things, and continued:

"The might have been have no claim to commendation. The only one is entitled to this high honor is 'what was.' The actual deed and the men who did the deed which breaks the horizon level line, not those who did not do it, even if they thought about it, alone deserve the honor, reverence and commemoration."

"Can we then justly place what happened here at Plymouth, and the men and women to whom we owe the great act, in the small, high class of 'descriptive' events due to the usual doses of great deeds? Certainly, I think we can."

PURITANS WERE SEERS

The senator sketched briefly the early struggles of the Pilgrims and went on:

"It is clearer than anything else to those who look into it with consideration, that these men, and especially, had a profound consciousness that they were engaged in a vastly greater task than establishing a colony. They felt in the depths of their being that they were laying the foundation of an empire—a mighty nation. That which counted then and has counted ever since was that they set the spiritual above the material."

"They never for a moment thought a little and its mysteries could be expressed in economic terms, which is not actually allowed, to be the tendency among all classes to-day."

NAVAL OFFICER DIED
WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—Full military honors attended the funeral of Commander Warren J. Terhune, former secretary of the Navy, who died at his home in Washington, D. C., yesterday. The services were held in the chapel at Arlington cemetery. Eight of Commander Terhune's children, all of the Naval Academy, arrived as honorary pallbearers.

OIL RATES SUSPENDED

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—The Interstate Commerce Commission today suspended until January 22 the operation of the proposed rate increase on petroleum and its products from points in Kansas, Oklahoma and Missouri to Chicago, Ill.; Milwaukee, Wis., and related territories.

Golden Hair Shampoo beautifies hair. Used by hairdressers everywhere. All.

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A chorus of thirty voices will sing from the mezzanine balcony. Come down early to do your shopping and listen to these well-trained voices, all from the store family, sing the old carols so beautifully expressive of the spirit of the season.

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The highly sensitive person who conceals actual needs.

The mail carrier who calls at your home every day.

The poor who need warm clothing and things to help the Christmas dinner.

Check up on your list and do what you can do to make Christmas happier for someone.

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¶ Good choosing yet, but there will be less and less every day, and some of the little folks have just set their hearts on certain things that may be gone in a few days.

Compelling Christmas Sales in the Downstairs Store

Christmas giving can be all a pleasure without a hampering thought of spending too much if you buy in this low priced gift store. Notice these Wednesday specials.

CREPE DE CHINE ENVELOPE CHEMISES

—In flesh and white. Trimmed with lace and embroidery. Special \$2.39

INITIAL HEMSTITCHED PILLOW CASES

—Made of "Fruit of the Loom" muslin. Size 45x36 \$1.29

SPECIAL PURCHASE—WOMEN'S SILK FIBRE ROOF HOSE

—In lace patterns. Good quality silk with wide garter top, reinforced heel, toe and sole. Our regular price would be \$1.95. Christmas Sale price 95c

IMPORTED PONGEE SILK

—Excellent quality. Width 33 inches. Our regular \$1.33 value. Sale price 89c

SILK MESSALINE

—In thirty-five different shades, varying from the high luster colors to the dark street shades. Width 35 inches. The quality that has been selling at \$2.39 yard. Sale price \$1.43

MENS FOUR-IN-HAND SILK TIES

—Excellent quality material. Choice patterns and colorings. Sale price 79c

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"Polly Prim" Aprons
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On Wednesday Only No. C. O. D.'s, Telephone Orders, Approvals or Credits. Neatly fashioned of bleached muslin and English plaids. This low price on this best selling apron in the store should make Wednesday our biggest apron day.

Women's Wool Jersey Sport Coats

—All wool jersey in red, navy, brown and green. Sale price \$8.39

Silk Camisoles

—of satins and crepe de chine, prettily trimmed with lace. Sale price 98c

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Dainty Tea Aprons
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Our former prices were 79c and 89c. No. C. O. D.'s, Approvals or Credits on this item. Many pretty styles from which you may make selection at this specially low price.

25% Off

On All Women's

Bathrobes

—These include Corduroy and heavy fleeced robes, choice patterns and colors. Trimmed with fur, tassels and pocket. Originally priced at \$3.95, \$4.95, \$5.95 to \$10.95. Sale prices, \$2.97, \$3.71 to \$8.21.

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REDUCED TO 25c

Our price was 49c. No. C. O. D.'s, Approvals, Exchanges or Refunds. Made of brushed wool in a fine assortment of solid colors and pretty stripes. On sale Wednesday only.

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They originally sold at \$2.39 and \$3.69. Their new prices are \$1.79 and \$2.77. Delight the child with a warm robe.

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The very latest creations in ties. Values far above our low prices.

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A man can not get too many socks; they are always acceptable.

Lisle Socks; all the new shades; per pair 25c

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COMMISSION CHOSEN
WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—Senator Marcus A. Smith of Arizona is understood to have been selected by President Wilson as a member of the International Joint Commission, which deals with certain questions arising between the United States and Canada, such as fisheries and the like.

PRINCESS IN UNITED STATES
NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—Donna Eugenia Ruspini, an Italian princess, arrived here yesterday on the steamer Nieuw Amsterdam. The princess, who was formerly Miss Eugenia Berry of Oak Hill, Georgia, will spend Christmas at her former home there.

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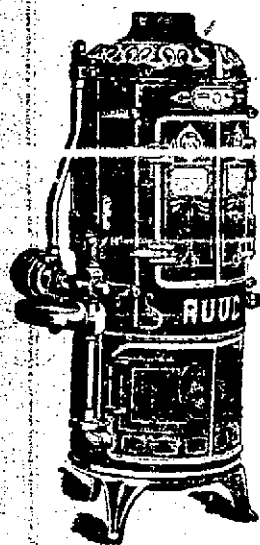


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Plan Proposes Shipment of Fruit to East by Steamers

State Market Director Gilbert B. Daniels is considering the names to a committee for the purpose of drafting plans for a permanent organization to be known as the California Producers and Shippers Transportation Association, following a meeting in his office in San Francisco yesterday at which the organization was tentatively formed. The permanent organization will be composed of growers, growers' associations, packers and shippers of agricultural or dairy products.

The conference was called by Market Director Daniels at the suggestion of Governor William D. Stephens, and was attended by growers and representatives of various associations from all parts of California.

LOWER RATES.
The object of the conference was to form the products into an association for the assembling at one point of California products, and for their shipment to the eastern coast by steamship, instead of rail and coastwise being used. It was estimated that approximately \$2,000,000 a year would be saved, due to lower rates, if the products could be shipped east by steamship. Representatives of several steamship companies attended the meeting and declared they would be willing to install refrigerator systems in their vessels for the purpose of handling California

perishable products. It was decided to petition the shipping board to investigate conditions and to take action toward a readjustment of rates. Another result of the meeting yesterday may be the formation of an allied organization among all perishable marketing and producing bodies to be effected for the following purposes:

To immediately and continuously exert itself to cause a reduction in rail freight tariffs for relief of the producers of California many of which are threatened with destruction by reason of excessive transportation charges that are at present being levied.

TRAILER REDUCTIONS.
To demand that such tariff reductions be made not on a flat percentage basis, but on a varying scale as the exigencies of the situation may compel.

To offer its counsel, suggestion and support to such transportation authorities in the direction of harmonizing elements which affect transportation costs.

Resolutions were passed asking for the assistance of the American Farm Bureau Federation, and the War Shipping Board to write downward the valuation placed on shipping tonnage purchased in the open market so freight rates charged will enable the producers to be paid with a fair return to the producers.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Arthur W. Morgan, 37, Sonoma, and Sadie A. Gluckman, 27, Berkeley.
Jos. A. Tolles, 32, Fresno, and Lucy E. Coe, 27, Mission San Jose.
Morris Gabriel, 36, Oakland, and Ruby Mathews, 23, San Francisco.
George Falerling, 29, Oakland, and Mary Patrick, 17, Oakland.
Joe Zanata, 24, Oakland, and Mary Rivieri, 17, Oakland.
Stephen Laiberech, 40, and Mina S. Burbank, 38, both of Oakland.
Tom Austin, 52, and Lucille Boyer, 32, both of Oakland.
Harry A. Kemp, 42, and Lily D. Conins, 42, both of Oakland.
Hans A. Gebhardt, 22, Maricopa, and Mathilde O. Wack, 27, Watsonville.
Ernest A. Kato, 26, and Eeda J. Johansson, 21, both of Berkeley.
Joseph A. Beck, 35, Pasadena, and Carroll B. Quinn, 21, Berkeley.
Joseph V. Nelson, 23, Oakland, and Elsie E. Diggs, 20, Woodland.
Hans C. Johnson, 36, 41, and Mabel S. Nicholson, 36, both of Oakland.
Charles D. Shano, 25, Oakland, and Mary L. Heger, 22, Belvedere.
George E. Baldwin, 52, and Anna L. Small, 41, both of Oakland.
George Bradbury, 22, and Pearl Martindale, 22, both of Richmond.
Juan N. Rodriguez, 31, and Maria Estavilla, 29, both of Oakland.
George F. Krane, 22, Berkeley, and Isabelle Eggleston, 23, Oakland.
A. Hennington, 27, and Margarette E. Haurich, 26, both of Berkeley.
Walter N. Judge, 24, Oakland, and Vera Fisher, 21, San Francisco.
John N. Washington, 24, and Ella Jackson, 23, both of Oakland.
Arthur P. Cobble, 27, and Angelina S. Malachio, 26, both of Oakland.
Charles L. Haver, 48, and Ella Maberly, 24, both of Stockton.
Richard H. Behrens, 25, and Gerda Fredericksen, 24, both of Berkeley.

MARRIAGE LICENSES IN SAN JOSE
Gerald D. Watch, 23, and Margaret M. Hovi, 23, both of Berkeley.
Bartlett Marchetti, 45, Oakland, and L. Capps, 30, Los Gatos.



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BIRTHS

BALES—To the wife Frank Bales, a son, December 13.
FRITZ—To the wife of Edward J. Fitzgerald, a son, December 9.
WALSH—To the wife of Patrick J. Walsh, a daughter, December 11.
FERNANDEZ—To the wife of Daniel Fernandez, a daughter, December 15.
WILLIAMS—To the wife of Percy S. Williams, a daughter, December 15.
SAVOIR—To the wife of George Roland Sanford, a daughter, December 15.
CLAGHAW—To the wife of Frank A. Claghaw, a son, December 16.
TEHRILL—To the wife of Harlow H. Tehrill, a son, December 18.
LAMH—To the wife of Emory Lamp, a son, December 17.
FORD—To the wife of Walter B. Ford, a son, December 18.

DIVORCE SUITS FILED
Mary L. vs. John E. Mason, cruelty.
James H. vs. Elizabeth Smith, desertion.
Garry vs. Emma Ellis, cruelty.
Lester J. vs. Winifred Nesbitt, desertion.

DEATHS

BREEN—In Contra Costa county, October 20, 1920, Harold S. Breen, beloved son of Mary Breen, a native of California, aged 27 years. Funeral took place from Grant D. Miller's chapel, Tuesday, December 21, 1920.
BONET—In this city, Dec. 19, 1920, Dolmea, dearly beloved wife of Giuseppe, devoted mother of Charles Bonet and Mrs. Linda Bonet, a native of Italy, aged 77 years.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral Wednesday, December 22, 1920, at 2 p. m. from her late residence, 5419 Claremont avenue, thence to Saint Augustine's church, where a requiem high mass will be celebrated for the repose of her soul, commencing at 9:30 o'clock. Interment St. Mary's Cemetery.

MAGNIE—In Butte City, Montana, Dec. 17, 1920, Mrs. Kate Maguire, loving mother of Minnie R. Maguire of Butte City, Frank J. Maguire of Oakland, a native of Montana (Virginia City and Grass Valley papers please copy).

ROBINSON—In Oakland, Dec. 20, 1920, Johanna Arvilla Rollins, beloved sister of Mrs. Leonora Wickersham and Richard Baxter, a native of Michigan, aged 52 years, 9 months, 22 days. Friends are invited to attend the funeral services Thursday, Dec. 23, 1920, at 2 o'clock p. m., at the residence of the family, 2211 Broadway, telephone 2211. Burial at the cemetery.

SWASEY—In this city, December 20, 1920, Nellie Dalton Swasey, wife of the late Benjamin Swasey, mother of Benjamin and George Swasey, and stepmother of Mrs. G. B. Daniels, a native of New Orleans, aged 73 years.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral tomorrow (Wednesday), at 2 p. m., at the parlors of Bessie J. Wood, 1835 Telegraph ave., near 20th street.

TAMMELIN—In Berkeley, Dec. 20, 1920, Lydia Tammelin, a native of Finland, aged 48 years. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral Wednesday, Dec. 22, 1920, at 2 p. m., from Finnish Lutheran Church, Alston way at Byron street. Remains at the parlors of W. S. Ward, 2201 Bancroft way. Interment Sunset View.

TREACY-BERRIN—A month's mind mass will be celebrated Thursday morning, December 23, at 10 o'clock, for the repose of the soul of Mrs. Treacy-Berrin. Friends are invited.

SAN FRANCISCO DEATHS.
Bennett, George—70, Morristown, Tenn.
Bridgford, John H.—38
Buckley, Cornelius—70, Carlsbad, Calif.
Burke, Lela A.—60, Los Angeles
Burdick, Sarah C.—58, San Francisco
Cresser, Wm.—68, San Francisco
Christensen, Carl J.—58, San Francisco
Dale, John—52
Ellis, Thomas A. H.—31, San Francisco
Harrington, Katherine—31, San Francisco
Haver, John—31, San Francisco
Hose, Jessica—23
Johnson, Rollie—15, Wrentham, Mass.
McCarthy, Mary—61

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CHRISTMAS WHIST PARTY
The girls' auxiliary of St. Joseph's Athletic club will give a Christmas whist party in the main assembly hall of St. Patrick's auditorium, West Tenth and Peralta streets, tomorrow evening. The affair will be supervised by Miss Catherine A. Mullen, and Miss Alice J. Harpold. Miss Helen C. Goodman, Supervisor John P. Mullins and Judge William J. Hayes will direct the progress of the players. A corps of young ladies in charge of Miss Rose Brady and Miss Eva M. Kelleher, will score.

AUTHOR IS GUEST
PACIFIC GROVE, Dec. 21.—Mrs. Helen R. Albee, an eastern writer of note, who has been making an extended tour of the west coast, has arrived at Pacific Grove and will pass several weeks visiting friends here. Mrs. Albee is the author of numerous magazine stories, as well as books. Her last volume, "The Clean," was published recently.

Rebekahs and I.O.O.F. Join in Celebration
SAN JOSE, Dec. 21.—Members of the Garden City Lodge of Odd Fellows will join hands with Stella and Josephine Rebekah lodges Wednesday evening in holding a monster Christmas tree celebration at Odd Fellows hall, Third and Santa Clara streets. A great Christmas tree has been secured and a committee of the three lodges is now engaged decorating this and preparing the gifts which will be presented every child that attends. The women are in charge of this work, while the men are arranging the entertainment which will be given in connection with the visit of Santa Claus. Those arranging the affair are: Charles Snyder, Robert Night, Fred Hager, Charles Stevens, Paul Albert, East Wright, Abbie Hachulen, Ethel Boyd, Marian Dellwig, Mamie Barker and Nellie Jung.

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A broad style selection, developed in fine quality satin and super-grade crepe de chine.

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Of satin and of crepe de chine, trimmed with lace or embroidered. Shaped and ribbon-strapped effects.

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Corduroy and Blanket Robes
Corduroy Robes \$7.95, \$8.95 up
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Christmas Sale of Gift Blouses
Dainty overblouses and tuck-ins in light colorings and suit shades.
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A Large Assortment of Gift Petticoats
Jersey, taffeta models in plain and two-toned effects.
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A full line of CHILDREN'S SOCKS 35c, 50c, 65c.
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Letters of Terrie & Joe

DEAR TESSIE:

As a progressive town this one mule burg is about eight jumps ahead of the rest of the country. This being Sunday, I thought it would give me more of a religious feeling if I went and had my shoes shined, and I almost got pushed into the lockup for inquiring where I could find a bootblack. After that I felt a craving that nothing could satisfy, under the circumstances, but a drink of soda water, so I waited till there wasn't a soul in the drug store except the druggist and then I tipped up to him and hissed through my Adam's apple—"Say Doc, I know it's Sunday all day today, but I'm a desperate man. Can I get a drink of soda?"

Now that's what I call a pro-

gressive town, a town that takes the lead in the spirit of the times. That's the way the whole country's going to be pretty soon. Have you read about this new league that's going to paint the country blue on Sundays? A dark depressing blue. Chewing gum will be a criminal offense instead of just a public nuisance as on week days, and we'll have to boil all our thoughts for five minutes before releasing them.

In other words, now that they've made the place a desert they won't even let us play in the sand. Can it be that this generation will live to see the day when the old saying, "Speed 'er up, we only live once!" will change to "We only live once, that's some consolation."

Don't take any wooden money. Love and all that. JOE.

'Y' Dormitory Club to Celebrate Christmas

The Christmas feed and social will be held at the Y. M. C. A. building tonight under the auspices of the Dormitory club. It is ladies night and it is expected that two hundred men and women will sit down to dinner at 6:30. This dinner is served by Mrs. Houston, matron of the association, and is given at cost.

The dinner will be followed by a program consisting of motion pictures, music and games.

The Dormitory club is closing a most busy and successful year. The men in the building have taken a great interest in the affairs of the club, which has done much to promote good fellowship and sociability.

Long Beach Library Installs 'Red' Books

LONG BEACH, Dec. 21.—Russian Soviet literature has been ordered for the Long Beach Public Library "in order that the reading public may be fully informed on all sides of the subject," according to a report by the librarian, Miss Zudee Brown.

as well as to assist by volunteer help in the association's programs. They are planning a Christmas tree and celebration for the orphans of the Fred Finch orphanage.

"There are now about two hundred men living at the Y. M. C. A., nearly all of them are members of the Dormitory club."

Wednesday Is Always Baby Day

—You can find many things here for baby's Christmas stocking—dainty little gift things that will add to the little one's comfort and greatly please its parents—economically priced, too.

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- INFANTS' CRIB BLANKETS in dainty designs.....\$1.00
- WOMEN'S CAMISOLES of wash satin, lace and ribbon trimmed.....\$1.00
- CORSET COVERS of fine nainsook, in neat holiday box.....\$1.00
- PINK BATISTE BLOOMERS in all sizes for women.....\$1.00
- WOMEN'S TEA APRONS, without bib, trimmed with lace.....\$1.00
- WOMEN'S NIGHTGOWNS of nainsook or pink batiste.....\$1.00
- WOMEN'S SILK-FIBRE HOSE in black, white or cordovan, pair.....\$1.00
- KEY OF HEAVEN, prayer book, leather bound.....\$1.00
- FRAMED PICTURES, landscape and old masters.....\$1.00
- MEN'S SILK HALF HOSE in plain colors, pair.....\$1.00
- MEN'S GARTERS AND ARM BANDS in pleasing shades, set.....\$1.00
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- BILLY WHISKERS STORY BOOKS.....\$1.00
- BONED STATIONERY in pastel tints.....\$1.00
- TAPESTRY SQUARES in pleasing designs.....\$1.00
- FANCY HUCK TOWELS, heavy and absorbent.....\$1.00
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- WHITE CENTERPIECES, trimmed with lace.....\$1.00
- HOUSE DRESSES of percale and gingham.....\$1.00
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- WHITE REED DOLL CRADLES, finished with gilt edge.....\$2.50
- IMPORTED DRESSED DOLLS, 18 inches tall.....\$2.50
- PHOTO ALBUMS, loose leaf style or bound.....\$2.50
- NARCISSUS BULBS and Roma Bowls.....\$2.50
- HONEYCOMB BEDSPREADS in pleasing designs.....\$2.50
- MERCERIZED NAPKINS in attractive new designs, dozen.....\$2.50
- MERCERIZED TABLE CLOTHS.....\$2.50
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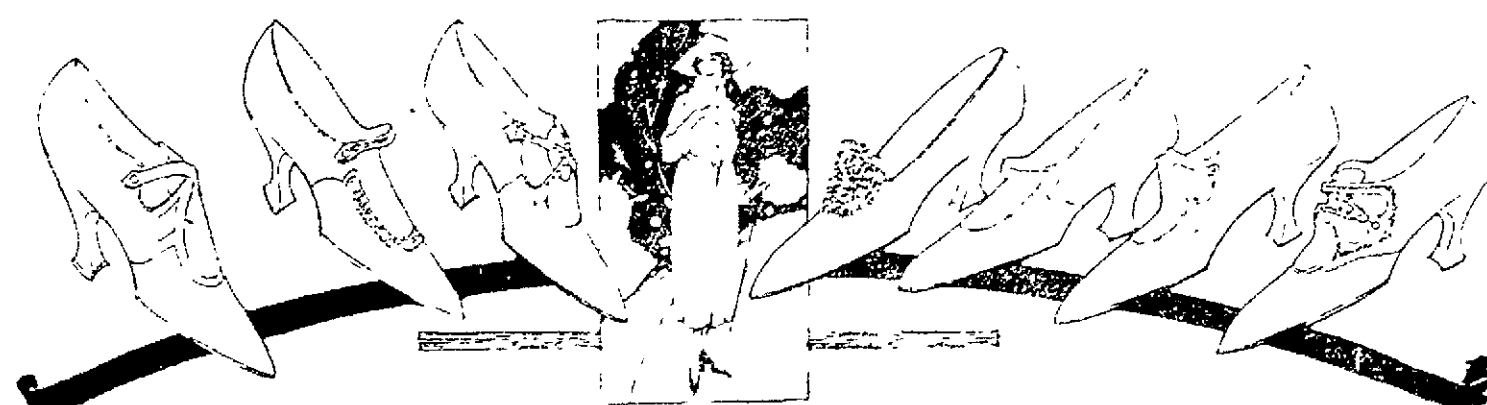
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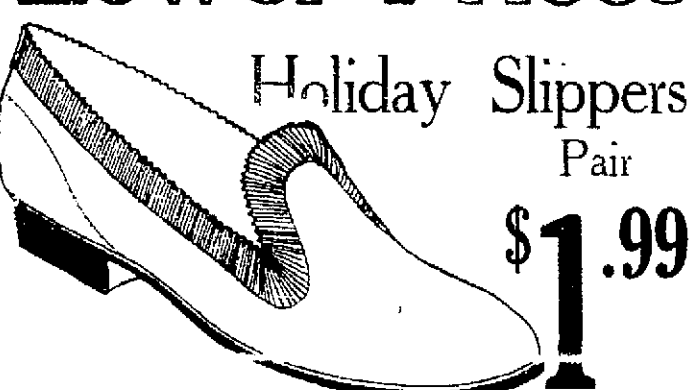
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- PLUM PUDDING.....20c
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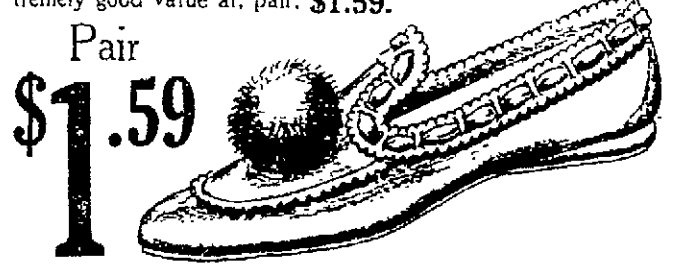


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- 20 inches tall.....7.50

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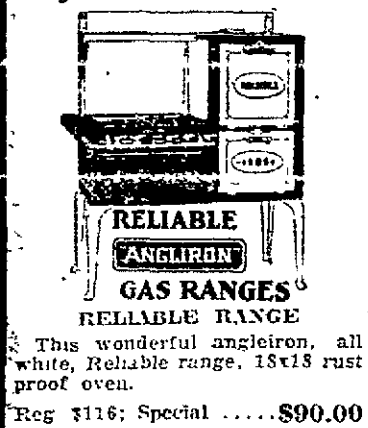
—Including all fancy imported glass ornaments and colored bead chains for Christmas tree decorations. A wide assortment for your choosing.

Prices now are—
2 1/2c, 5c, 7 1/2c and 12 1/2c each
—Toytown, Third Floor.

Kiddies, watch for Santa Claus and Christmas Tree on our roof.

OPEN WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY AND FRIDAY EVENINGS

Let us contribute to your Xmas with our SPECIAL OFFER for this week only.



Reg. \$116; Special \$90.00



The Garland uses both coal and gas equally well. Reg. \$137.50. Special \$120.00

Prices on the Garland and Reliable Ranges include installation, with a liberal allowance for old stove and terms to suit.

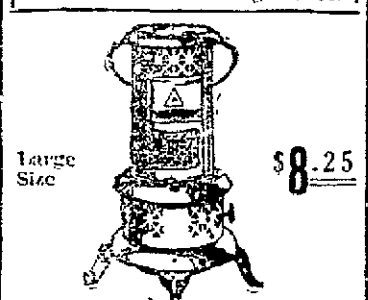


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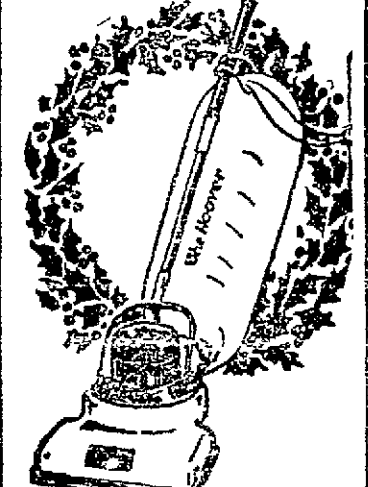


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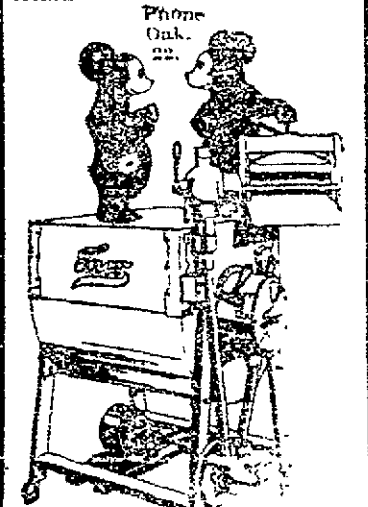
10 PER CENT DISCOUNT. Until Xmas on all our other wood and coal heating stoves.



Large Size \$8.25



Phone Oak. 222



Maxwell Hardware Co. 14th and Washington

Christmas Carols opposite our store—opposite 14th St. entrance.

26 NAVY 'PLANES WILL MAKE LONG TRIP TO PANAMA

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 21—Twenty-six big navy airplanes will roar their way out from San Diego Harbor, bound for Panama, about 1,000 miles away, early on December 28 in what veteran aviators say will be one of the longest and most hazardous plane time flights in the history of aviation according to plans announced here recently.

About fifty flying hours are expected to be needed to reach the goal at Balboa, located in the canal zone. The machines are scheduled to arrive at Balboa January 12 and to start on their return flight February 26.

Storms probably will be encountered by the aviators along the Mexican and Central American coast, as this is the stormy season on the route. One dangerous place is the Gulf of Tehuantepec, where high and dangerous winds blow almost continuously. Air service officials are taking every precaution to come with any condition that may arise as a result of storms, high winds and fogs.

ACCOMPANY BY SHIP.

Fourteen seaplanes of the N. C. type, which made the navy's first across the Atlantic ocean, will fly in the Panama squadron. The other twelve will be of the coastal type of aircraft.

Captain Henry Mustin, commander of the Pacific air force, will be in charge of the squadron of seaplanes and Commander John H. Towers, who led the trans-Atlantic aviators, will command the N. C. squadron.

Seven naval vessels will follow the airplanes as patrol and tenders. They are the fuel steamers Kanawha and Cuyahoga, the aircraft carrier USS Aroostook and the minesweeper USS Gannett, USS Partridge and USS Kingfisher.

OFFICIAL ITINERARY.

The official itinerary of the seaplanes follows:

Leave San Diego 8 a. m. December 28; arrive San Bernardino Bay December 29; leave San Bernardino Bay same day; arrive Magdalena Bay December 30; arrive Banderas Bay same day; leave Banderas Bay same day; arrive Acapulco same day; leave Acapulco January 1; arrive Salina Cruz same day; leave Salina Cruz January 1; arrive Gulf of Fonseca same day; leave Gulf of Fonseca same day; arrive Gulf of Nicoya same day; leave Gulf of Nicoya same day; arrive Bahia Honda, Costa Rica same day; leave Bahia Honda January 13; arrive Balboa about noon same day.

The vessels in the accompanying fleet will begin leaving December 26. All except the Kingfisher will go to Balboa. The Kingfisher will go to Balboa. The Kingfisher will go to Balboa. The Kingfisher will go to Balboa.

TRIBUNE WILL REFRESH YOU ON CLASSICS

What do you know about "The Three Musketeers," Shakespeare's "Richard the Third," Sir Walter Scott's classics and the famous tales of Dickens? Or the plot of "Don Quixote?"

If so, The Oakland Tribune is going to give you the chance to refresh your mind. Jordan, author of "Vivid Vamps of History," noted writer or unique, single volume, will open the series in next Sunday's TRIBUNE with the story of "Romeo and Juliet." Thereafter she will elucidate a classic each week.

Watch for them!

L. A. Woman Official To Quit Her Job

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 21—Mrs. Leslie Sloan, president of the Los Angeles Park Commission, whose first official act four years ago was to order "Keep off the Grass" signs placed around the city parks, has announced her intention to resign her position because her mother needs her attention. Mrs. Sloan, 60, was said to be the first woman park commissioner in the United States and the first woman park commissioner in California.

Flyers Escape Death In Hawaii Accident

HILO, Island of Hawaii, Dec. 21—Three naval aviation officers narrowly escaped death recently when they were rescued by a cutter off the ocean surface near a rocky portion of the Hawaiian coast. They were forced to cling to a narrow ledge until rescued by a cutter which had seen their plight.

The officers, Lieutenants Donald G. Duke, G. H. Gale and Ivan G. Moorman, were hauled up the 100-foot cliff with ropes after enduring for some time to save the plane. The plane was forced to descend because of lack of gasoline. Attempts to save the plane intact failed.

Established 60 Years. Over 200 Years On the Grounds of the

E. Gill Nursery Co.

SAN PABLO AVENUE, can be seen in the largest Assortment of Fruit, Shade, Ornamental Trees and Roses on the Pacific Coast. Intending planters can well afford to visit and inspect our stock.

PHONE BERKELEY 5880 Richmond Electric Cars Stop at Entrance

CHAS. E. SNOOK and EVERETT J. BROWN

Announce that upon the retirement of Everett J. Brown as judge of the Superior Court of Alameda County on January 3, 1921, they will form a partnership for the practice of law under the firm name of SNOOK & BROWN

Bank of Italy Building, Oakland, California

Whitthorne & Swan OAKLAND'S STORE THAT UNDERSELLS

Specials for Wednesday, Dec. 22

INLAID LINOLEUM—Good patterns. Our usual \$2.45 value at square yard **\$1.95**

TAPESTRY BRUSSELS RUGS, 9x12; floral designs. Our usual \$44 value, each.... **\$27.50**

YE OLDE FASHIO

Candy Booth

500 CANDY CANES, for tree decoration, etc. Large size packed in individual boxes. 21c

Extra special Market Day, while they last, each

BOXED CANDIES—Line is somewhat limited, but values are extremely great (Downstairs)

HOLIDAY RIBBONS

Wide Floral, Dresden or Roman stripe. Our former \$2.00 value, at yard..... 95c

Fancy Ribbon 95c

SATIN STRIPE HAIR BOW RIBBON—Pink, blue or white. Priced at, yard **60c**

WIRE EDGE TAFFETA RIBBON—Heavy all-silk quality; pink, blue, white. Priced at, yard..... **75c**

SATIN RIBBON—Wide range of widths—big assortment of staple and novelty colors. Underpriced.

(Hair Bows Tied Free)

(Main Floor)

LOVELY FURS FOR XMAS GIFTS

FULLY GUARANTEED—WONDERFULLY LOW PRICED.

A beautiful collection of real, high-grade furs—consigned to us at big reductions in prices. Is on sale here for these last few days.

FASCINATING, JOY-GIVING XMAS GIFTS.

COATS, SCARFS, ANIMAL PIECES, COATEES, STOLEES, and many handsome novelty furs in great variety, such as HUDSON SEAL, NATURAL OR DYED SKUNK, SABLE, ERMINE, FOX, LYNX, WOLF, AUSTRALIAN OPUSM, JAP MINK and KOLINSKY.

THE VALUES AND LOW PRICES WILL ASTONISH YOU.

Special Sealine Coats

Splendid, snappy models: can be worn loose back or belted. All silk lined. A wonderful gift and a tremendously big bargain at, ea. **\$145**

Dresses for Holiday Festivities.

Lovely models in satin, tulle, crepe or serge. Lined with chenille or silk some lace or bead trimmed. Sizes 16 to 44-inch. Black, navy and a few evening shades. Special, each **\$35**

(Second Floor)

SHEETS, TOWELS and WASH GOODS in BIG CHRISTMAS SALE

Turkish Towel Sets Christmas Special One towel and two wash cloths. Our usual \$1.00 value. Set **75c**

GALATEA—Neat stripes: formerly 25c—now at, yard **15c**

Household Has a Wonderful Lot of Useful Gifts

32-PIECE SET OF DISHES—Blue and gold patterns. A practical gift—per set **\$6.95**

PERCOLATOR—Five-cup, "Lifetime" Pure Aluminum **\$1.50**

ALUMINUM SAUCE PAN, 2-qt. size, heavy gauge, each **55c**

BIRD CAGES—White enamel, each **\$2.55** AND UP

Whitthorne & Swan OAKLAND'S STORE THAT UNDERSELLS

Specials for Wednesday, Dec. 22.

We CAN and DO Sell Good, Clean, Staple Merchandise CHEAPER Than Any Other

BEAUTIFUL AXMINSTER RUGS—New colorings and designs. Usual \$72.50 value, each **\$44.00**

Our usual \$80 value, each **\$53.00**

(Third Floor)

ROOM-SIZE WILTON RUGS—Beautiful colorings and new designs. Our usual \$139.00 value; 8-3x10-6, each... **\$93.00**

\$145 value—9x12, each **\$98**

MERCERIZED MARQUETTE 36 inches wide. Ivory or ecru. Our usual 65¢ value. Yard **39¢**

BEAUTIFUL CRETONES—3 inch. New colorings. Our usual \$1.50 value, at, yard **98c**

YE OLDE FASHIO

Green Window Shades

300 ft. Our usual \$1.25 value, each (Third Floor) **79c**

Only three days more, Folks, and we are taking time help you save on your Xmas shopping for the last time. That's why we call it an Old-Fashioned Sale, for them at one-half price and less. All of our regular offerings. This store will be a mighty interesting Xmas gifts at cheering, old-fashioned prices. (Open until 6 p. m.)

Christmas Gloves and Umbrellas for "Her" and "Him"

Odd Lot of White or Colored Gloves

Pique or overseam styles; also a few mocha suede gloves. Not all sizes in all styles, but your size may be in the lot. Special at, pair..... **\$2**

Men's Mocha Suede Gloves

With Paris point or fancy stitching, in gray only. Our usual \$3.95 value, pair **\$3.59**

WOMEN'S IMPORTED LAMB KID GLOVES with heavy two-tone crochet embroidery: 2-clasp, pique seam—white, brown or champagne. Pair **\$4.50**

WOMEN'S REAL KID GLOVES—Two-clasp, pique seam; fancy contrasting embroidered backs; in white or champagne—Pair **\$3.95**

MOCHA SUEDE GLOVES—Pique seam; Paris point stitching, in brown, beaver and gray. Our usual \$2.95 value, pair **\$2.95**

Women's Mocha Suede Gloves

In gray, brown and the new beaver shade—pair **\$3.75**

Women's Neckwear

All are this season's up-to-date models in a Special Pre-Christmas Sale

Vestees of Net and Organdie

The net are lace trimmed, or in the popular "fish tail" style. Made to look like a dress. Collars in net or georgette crepe. Will make ideal Christmas gifts. Each **\$1**

(Main Floor)

Men's Umbrellas

Men's Umbrellas—Good quality glens, paragon frame. Waterproof; crooked or Prince of Wales handle. Each **\$3.50**

Bargain Prices on Underwear

Fancy Lace and Silk Brassieres

—Of fancy lace with silk combination. Sizes 34 to 42. Our usual \$2.50 values at, each **\$1.59**

Hand-Embroidered Gowns and Envelope Chemise

Fine nainsook, embroidered in many pretty patterns. Hand-finished. Special, each **\$3.95**

ENVELOPE CHEMISE—Fine nainsook or muslin: white or flesh pink: trimmed with dainty laces or embroidery. Also neat tailored styles of Windsor crepe. Underpriced, each **\$1.95**

WOMEN'S FLANNELLETTES—All white or with stripes, trimmed with fancy braid or hemstitching. Underpriced at, each **\$1.89**

OUT SIZE ENVELOPE CHEMISE—Good quality muslin trimmed with lace. Cut full: sizes 46 to 50. Each **\$1.89**

WOMEN'S MEDIUM WEIGHT VESTS OR PANTS—Vests are high neck, long sleeves. Or low neck, no sleeves. Pants are ankle length. Regular or extra size. Fine weave with flat lock seam. Our usual \$1.25 to \$1.50 value. Special, all sizes, garment..... **\$1.00**

WOMEN'S KNITTED SKIRTS—"Forest Mills" brand—natural gray or white. Regular or extra sizes; at, each **\$1.95**

BRASSIERES AND BANDOS—Brassieres are made of heavy muslin, trimmed with lace and embroidery. Bandos are of fancy mesh or pink silk. Our usual 75c to \$1.00 value at each **59c**

WOMEN'S UNION SUITS—Medium weight—light fleece lined; high neck, long sleeves or Dutch neck, elbow sleeves. All sizes of our \$2 value. Special, suit **\$1.79**

"Ringo" Belt Corsets

Of extra heavy coutil; medium bust, long skirt with broad front steels; all sizes, 24 to 31. Our usual \$5.00 value, each **\$2.95**

(Second Floor)

3000 Yards Tennis Flannel

Another lot of fine heavy quality, pink or blue stripes. Wonderful value, yard **15c**

WARM GIFTS FOR MOTHER

Hug-Me-Tights

Hand-crocheted of soft, warm wool, in light, medium or dark colors. Trimmed with contrasting shades, each **\$5.95**

BEACON ROBES—High-grade Beacon flannel. Comfortable and attractive. Highly favored for gift—many styles in a large variety of patterns and color combinations. Trimmed with satin and cords—sizes 36 to 52; excellent values at, each **\$5.00** and **\$14.95**

WOOL SWEATERS—Fancy or plain weaves. Tuxedo or coat styles. Some trimmed with angora. Peacock, buff, brown, rose, turquoise and purple. At, each—**\$5.95** TO **\$18.50**

Wool Tams to match, each **\$1.95**

(Second Floor)

Delicious CHRISTMAS Drinks

"VIRGINIA DARE" WINE De-alcoholized, medium bottle **43c** Large bottle **79c**

GRAPE JUICE "Red Wing," pint bottle **33c** (Downstairs)

"MONTICELLO" RED WINE De-alcoholized, medium bottle **35c** Large bottle **59c**

WHITTHORNE & SWAN--WASHINGTON ST. AT ELEVENTH

Holiday H

HANDKERCHIEFS FOR DREN—When, in doubt, acceptable. Packed in single. Wide range of sty

Men's Pure Lin Each--50c, 7

MEN'S INITIAL HANDEL CHIEFS—Fine quality law-taped borders and lined w. Several styles of initials. Each..... **50**

MEN'S BOXED INITIAL HANDEKCHIEFS, 6 to box, for..... **\$1.1**

THESE SPECIAL HANDEL CHIEFS ITEMS FOR WEDNE DAY—The new effects in colored linen—hemstitched in and small floral design in special. One each 50c each. Special..... **\$3 for \$1.**

BOXED HANDEKCHIEFS, to box, with hemstitched hem white or colored corner design. Box **50**

WOMEN'S LIN Hemstitched hem—daint in white or color, each (Handkerchiefs)

Extra H Mornin

These prices from 9 last

SILK ENVELOPE pink crepe de chine; value to go at, each (See)

WOMEN'S BLANKET ROU—Looming robes in a beautiful assortment of floral and figure patterns. Cut full and fine with cords—50 only. While they last at, each..... **\$4.7**

(Second Floor)

BROKEN LINE OF WOMEN HOSE—Mercerized. Former 95c value, at pair **39**

(Main Floor)

ALL-SILK SHIRTINGS—32 striped tub silks; 25 designs select from. A quality that rarely sold at \$2.25; at yard **\$1.3**

(Main Floor)

SAMPLE LINE OF GOW AND ENVELOPE CHEMISE. Our usual \$2.00 to \$3.00 value at, each..... **\$1.5**

(Second Floor)

VELVET RUGS—25x50. C usual \$4.50 value. Spec each **\$2.**

(Third Floor)

CLRTVIN RODS—50-inch tension rods. Our usual value at, 2 for **2**

(Third Floor)

"GLASBAN" LAYERS CAS PANS—Our usual 55c, each **35**

(Downstairs)

GREAT SALE CLOTH C or fur trimmed models coating. Sizes 16 to 44. remainder. Worth regular to \$35.00. Exceptional hours only, at each (See)

These prices fr

re in Oakland--Your MONEY CHEERFULLY REFUNDED if You EVER DOUBT IT

- ARQUETTE CURTAINS--Ivory or ecru, 2 1/2 yds long, 2-inch hem. Our usual \$4.50 value pair \$2.25
- ROLLER SKATES, 98c pair
- SHOO-FLY, \$4.25 each
- GAME OF "LOUISA," each 49c
- OVERLAND FLYER, each \$3.45 (Toy Department, Third Floor)
- TRICYCLES, \$4.45 each
- DOLL BUGGIES, 98c each
- "COAT'S" SEWING THREAD--150 yard spools; black or white-- 4 SPOOLS 25c (Main Floor)

Whitthorne & Swan
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Specials for Wednesday, Dec. 22.

RED XMAS SALE

the forelock, giving you such tremendous Bargains to days you will think you're back in the days before the cause such values haven't been seen in many days, many toppers and many new ones will appreciate these won- and saving place to shop in tomorrow. Hundreds of ME EARLY for the HOT MORNING SPECIALS. WHITTHORNE & SWAN.

- No goods re- served.
- No phone or mail orders on advertised lines.
- For obvious reasons we reserve the right to limit quantities.
- CANDLE STICKS--Mahogany or ivory finish. Each \$1.00, \$1.95, \$2.25
- ELECTRIC BOUDOIR LAMPS--Mahog- any finish--a dainty practical gift. Special, each \$4.95 (Third Floor)
- SPRING SATIN HATS--Choice lot of various shapes; effectively trimmed with braids and bead designs. Also bow effects in the new shades. Specially priced-- \$7.50 each (Millinery Department, Second Floor)

Handkerchiefs
MEN, WOMEN AND CHILD- ren handkerchiefs--always active holiday boxes, or Big Christmas values.

Handkerchiefs 95c and \$1.25

LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS-- A most pleasing array of dainty styles. Embroidered corner design. Also fine lawn, with Venice lace corner. Each 59c

BIG ASSORTMENT OF BOXED HANDKERCHIEFS--Packed 6 to box for \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00 to box for \$1.00 to \$3.00

Fine Colored Handkerchiefs in lawn with hemstitched hem. Corner design. Our good 25c value each \$1.00

CHILDREN'S HANDKERCHIEFS--With white or colored designs. Our usual 15c value, each 10c

HANDKERCHIEFS 75c and \$1.00 (Main Floor)

Practical Gifts That Men and Boys Will Like

Men's Shirts \$3.35

Men's Fancy Silk Hose \$1.10

Stripes or clock work--our usual \$1.50 value. Pair

Men's and Boys' Sweaters

Our entire stock, including jerseys, ruff neck, slipovers and coat sweaters. Values \$2.50 to \$12.95, at 1/2 Off Marked Price

MEN'S FLANNEL SHIRTS--Made of wool army flannel. Khaki, high or low collar. Sizes 14 1/2 to 18 neck. Special, each \$5.95

MEN'S SUSPENDERS--Of good quality elastic; leather ends. Pair 50c

CARTER AND ARM BAND SETS-- Put up in attractive holiday boxes, set 75c

MEN'S LEATHER BELTS-- Black or cordovan, each \$1.50

BOYS' SUSPENDERS-- 35c and 50c

1680 Men's Four-in-Hand Ties

Open end shape-- many beautiful de- signs for your selec- tion. These are ex- ceptional values, each 95c

MEN'S PERCALE SHIRTS--Several neat striped patterns; sizes 14 to 16 1/2 neck. Special, ca. \$1.19 (Main Floor)

Boys' Four-in-Hand Ties 49c

Many attractive plaid patterns. Each

MEN'S IRON THREAD HOSE--Good quality lisle--reinforced sole. Black, white, tan, cordovan or gray. Guaranteed to give you satisfaction. 3 pair for \$1.00

MEN'S BATH SLIPPERS--Of terry cloth or robing flannel. Pair 73c

MEN'S PARIS GARTERS-- Assorted colors, pair 40c

MEN'S KNT REEFERS--Silk or fibre. Black, white or \$2.95 \$8.50 (Main Floor)

GIFT HOSIERY

Fancy Lace Hose \$2.95

Pure thread silk; full fashioned--lace arrow and front and openwork. Black only. Sizes 8 1/2 to 10. Our former \$4.25 value at, pair

WOMAN'S ALL-SILK HOSE--With lisle foot--black only. Special, pair \$1.95

WOMEN'S FULL FASHIONED SILK HOSE--Lisle garter top. Black, cordovan, gray, taupe, mouse, or navy. Special, pair \$1.95

WOMEN'S FULL FASHIONED ALL-SILK HOSE--Black or cordovan, heavy quality; priced at pair \$3.25 (Main Floor)

Extra Specials

11 A. M. only, if they at long.

EMISE; beautiful flesh usual \$2.95 \$1.88 (Floor)

Jewelry, Bags, Perfumes for Christmas

VANITY BOXES

Patent finish, large mirror in top. Our usual \$5.95 value at, each \$3.98

SWAGGER BAGS. Tooled leather or patent finish-- 2 compartments. \$3.95

SPECIAL, each 50c

LINGERIE CLASPS. Many pretty patterns, rolled gold, pair 50c

STERLING SILVER BANGLE BRACELETS-- Carved or plain, \$1.25 pair

Ivory Finish Candle Sticks With colored shades. Our usual \$3.50 value at, each \$2.98 (Main Floor)

Imported Perfumes and Toilet Waters

Put up in fancy bottles, cut glass stopper. Makes an attractive gift. Special, each \$1.98

"PIVER'S" VEGETAL Assorted odors, \$1.35 bottle

"PIVER'S" TOILET WATERS. Assorted odors-- bottle \$2.30

"JERGEN'S" PERFUMES-- Assorted odors-- 65c to \$1.00

"HYGLO" MANI- CURE SETS. set 47c

MEN'S SHAVING STROPS. Genuine leather--a good assortment, each \$1.00 to \$4.00

THERMOS BOTTLES-- Nickel finish, \$4.00

Corrugated, \$3.60

Make Acceptable Gifts

Fancy Boxed Stationery

Assorted colors; fine quality paper. Special, box 75c

Art Department Half-Price Sale

Madeira Napkins 13x13 inches. Daintily embroid- ered. Sold usually at \$22.00. Special, dozen \$11.00

BEAUTIFUL REAL MADEIRA LINENS--Exquisite hand work on the daintiest of linens. Lunch cloths, scarfs, centerpieces, tray cloths, hot roll cases, etc.

A LINE OF HIGH-CLASS TAPESTRY Table runners and pillow tops--some slightly damaged, but splendid bargains at ONE-HALF PRICE.

HAND EMBROIDERED ART MODELS--Centerpieces, scarfs, gowns, combina- tions, children's dresses, bags, etc. All worked by experts. These are wonder- ful values and make most pleasing hol- iday gifts. Present \$2.50 to \$10 prices range, each

IMPORTED CLUNY LINENS--Elab- orate designs on fine linen. Lunch cloths, centers and scarfs.

Other Splendid Art Department Specials

TAPESTRY PILLOW TOPS--Ready to use; variety of colorings. Special, 73c

PILLOW TOPS--Heavy woven materials; ready to use. Special-- \$1.45 each (Third Floor)

REAL LEATHER MOCCASINS--For men, women or children. A practical and substantial gift. Prices range \$1.35 to \$2.65 per pair

KNITTED BEDROOM SLIPPERS-- Variety of color combinations. \$1.75 Special, pair

Sensible Gift Suggestions in Rich Lustrous Silks

Black Taffeta or Satin All-Silk Shirting Crepe de Chine

Dress length: neatly boxed. \$7.50

A handsome stripe--enough for a man's shirt in a holiday box for \$4.50

Smock or waist length; wash satin, tricolette, etc. In pretty Christmas boxes, for \$2.00, \$3.00, \$4.00 and \$5.00.

Enough for a dress in heavier quality \$10.00

Skirt or Dress Length of Handsome Woolens--Boxed for Gifts

EXQUISITE BLOUSES at Very Low Prices

Georgette Blouses \$6.95

High grade blouses--flesh, white, turquoise, rose, orchid, gray or green. Beautifully embroidered and trimmed. Our usual \$7.95 to \$10.95 values at, each

Tricolette Overblouses

Flesh, navy or black, em- broidered in chenille. Fancy weaves in navy and black; elastic waist lines. Extra special value at, each \$5.95

Pretty Voile Waists

Stylish vest effects, trim- med with dainty Val. laces--values from \$3.95 to \$5.95-- each \$3.75 (Second Floor)

Tricolette Overblouses

Pretty dark or medium shades, embroidered and headed; made in hip-line effects; tie-back sashes. Wonderful values, each \$9.85

PRACTICAL GIFTS FOR BABY OR SISTER

INFANTS' SACQUE SETS

Dainty, warm little sets with closely knit sweater sacque, booties and hood. Prettily trimmed. Our usual \$6.45 and \$6.95 value. Wednesday, set \$3.98

Girls' Corduroy Bath Robes

Made with large sailor collar, pockets and sash. Good quality corduroy in rose and open blue. Neatly made and full cut. Sizes 8 to 14 years. Our former \$2.95 value. Wednesday, each \$4.95

KIDDIES' GING- HAM DRESSES

Plaids, checks, stripes or colors with large sashes. Some embroidered with nursery figures. Our usual \$2.75 and \$3.45 \$2.19 values at, each

INFANTS' BLANKETS

35x50. Satin bound; pink, blue or white. Plain or figured. Our usual \$4.45 value. Wednesday only \$2.69

Girls' Flannel Middies

Braid trimmed on collar and cuffs. Navy blue. Our usual \$6.45 value. Each \$4.98 (Children's Shop, Second Floor)

INFANTS' SILK KNIT TOQUES

Good quality; link and link stitch. Finished with tassels. Our former \$2.95 value at-- \$2.19 each

Big Savings on Wholesome, APPETIZING GROCERIES

Select from our large, well-varied stock, your Christmas table needs. Note the special values listed below:

SOFT SHELL ALMONDS-- "A1" quality; 500 pounds to sell "Market Day," at pound 18c

"PORTER'S" FIG OR FRUIT PUDDING, 44c Small tin 25c Large tin 77c

CLUSTER RAISINS--"Del Monte" or "Sun Maid" One pound carton 21c

PUMPKIN, "SCORCHER" BRAND--No. 2 1/2 tin--just 700 tins in the lot, at tin 7c

LEMON OR ORANGE PEEL--1/2 pound package, for 19c

MIXED PEEL--1/2 pound package 25c CITRON PEEL 1/2 pound package 31c (Downstairs)

WHITE SALAD TUNA "Ambassador" brand all white meat; No. 1 tin 29c value, at 29c

No. 1 tin, 6 1/2 value, at 52c

SALAD PINEAPPLE "J H N" No. 1 tin, for 23c

"BAKER'S" SHREDDED COCOANUT--1/2 pound package, 20 value, at 23c

1 pound package; 50c value, at 45c

POPCORN Superior pop- ping quality 1 pound bag for 9c 2 pound bag 17c

"Baker's" Fresh Grated Cocoanut, tin--12 1/2c

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PROTEST AIMED AT APARTMENTS

BERKELEY, Dec. 21--A vigorous protest was launched before the City Council this morning by a com- mittee of twenty-five residents of the Euclid avenue district to pre- vent Mrs. Marie Wright, 2313 Hille- gas avenue, from erecting a four- flat apartment house in the Euclid avenue district.

The application for a permit to construct such a building was filed with the Council a week ago. The residents held that Berkeley's zon- ing ordinance prohibited the erection of an apartment house in that district, which they held "was and should be confined to a residential district."

The matter was postponed by the Council for two weeks to hear fur- ther protests which the committee said would be forthcoming.

Among those who protested were Joel Hildebrand, Mrs. George Rich- ards, Mrs. J. F. Johnston and E. J. Foulds.

Health Center to Form in Alameda

ALAMEDA, Dec. 21--A meeting of representatives from of the civic organizations of Ala- meda will be held in the council chambers next Tuesday evening for the purpose of definitely organizing the new Alameda Health Center. A meeting of the official organization committee was held yesterday and a tentative constitution and by-laws drawn up for submission to the mass meeting. The building in Oak street, which is to be headquarters is now ready for occupancy.

Christmas Savings Club for the Youngsters

The boy wants a coaster, a velocipede, a water pistol and an Indian suit; the girl, a big doll, a doll buggy, a painted set of dishes, and Mother Goose.

But--you never thought to save a nickel for Christmas. If you had only joined this year's Christ- mas Savings Club, as many other fathers did, you would have a check from the bank now--and your boy and girl would have a real Christmas. But you didn't-- you haven't saved any money for Christmas--you're to blame.

Make it up to your children next year. Join the 1921 Christmas Savings Club now. It will show you how and help you to save nickels, dimes and quarters systematically--and you can count on a definite sum for Christmas money next year. This is How:

Over \$300,000.00 in checks just distributed to members of the Seventh Successful Christmas Savings Club.

CLASS 5--Members paying 5 cents the first week--10 cents the second week and in- creasing 5 cents each week for fifty weeks will get \$62.50.

CLASS 6A--Members starting with \$2.50 the first week--\$2.45 the second week and decreasing 5 cents each week for fifty weeks will get \$62.50.

CLASS 6B--Members paying 25 cents a week for fifty weeks will get \$12.50.

CLASS 6C--Members paying 50 cents every week for fifty weeks will get \$25.00.

CLASS 100--Members paying \$1.00 every week for fifty weeks will get \$50.00.

CLASS 400--Members paying \$2.00 every week for fifty weeks will get \$100.00.

4% interest if payments are made regularly.

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California Poppy Skim Milk makes fresh skim milk instantly. You simply add three parts of water to each part of powder and stir. It is perfect for all uses. It is a great help in making all kinds of milk products. It is a great help in making all kinds of milk products. It is a great help in making all kinds of milk products.

At all leading groceries and grocers.

California Milk Products Company
Oakland, California

What Is This Old Ramshackle? It's S. P. Station

WELL, APPROACH AND SEE; FIRST WAIT FOR TRAIN

The way to approach architectural magnificence, a learned authority at the state university has said, is to wait for the train and then approach.

With some such view, and with a notebook and camera, the attempt was made on the Southern Pacific's office at Fourteenth and Franklin today. The university man was all wrong, viz. i. e., and thus:

To approach the S. P. station one must wait for the dinky to pull out of its way to Sixteenth street, and allow the waiting crowd time to reach to run a three-car train up to near Broadway. If the street is blocked while the motorman has his eyes shined it is because the time-table allows for the stopover. So much for the approach.

The period of the Southern Pacific station, as ascertained after scrutiny from all four sides is not a period at all. It is an exclamation point and a question mark.

The building is unique; it is covered with doodads and signs. There is a rumor that it has been painted in a way that it is not possible to see the building. There has been nothing left but the paint, and that the interior which was once admired for the number and arrangement of knobholes, has long since disappeared and has been swept out by the semi-weekly janitor.

CLAIM EMBLAZONED

To get the full effect of this structure one must have an optimistic and forgiving nature and a forgiving glass. Viewed in this light it appears to be a waiting-room and railroad station. Marks on a blackboard out in front carry out the intended impression and, in fact, some bold sign-painter has emblazoned the claim for the world to read. This evidence, force of habit and honored precedent are cited to bolster up the assertion that the place, in truth, is a station.

SHELTER STICKS OUT

The north side of the building is the one upon which the greatest efforts have been made to convince the public that this is in reality a station. A big blackboard all covered with chalk marks has been nailed up. Some thoughtful person, anticipating the rain, has built a shelter that all but hides the station itself and makes all the blacker the shadows within. The reason for this, it has been explained, is that the person who enters may not be depressed by the details of the interior.

Without this shelter, which sticks out like the moustache on a walrus, it is easy to imagine that the station would look like the headquarters of the least prosperous of our Chinese lotteries. The peak—in this case the same—rises in its towering majesty three feet and five inches above the shelter, a thing once plain and now adorned by an elaborate sunburst in woodcraft. Then along the gables, in a prodigality almost rascally in its daring, is a decorative design which consists of one dot—two dashes—the beautiful, and so on like a man learning to telegraph.

DON'T SIT ON ROOF

Surmounting all is a triumphant shield of the same inexpensive wood. It represents a giant arrowhead imbedded in a wedge of pie and no doubt has a symbolic meaning all its own. Along the ridge the architect has upon a combination of the practical and the beautiful. The wooden designs here, which represent a doughnut in full flight, are so executed that the tips of any extended wings are sharp, and any person who might elect to sit upon the roof of the building is thus warned.

A sign up here makes the unequivocal claim that this is the "Southern Pacific Fourteenth Street Station." It is not a station, it is a station, whether you believe it or not, and we are going right on calling it a station.

In such ways are precedents established.

ESPIONAGE CASES PENDING

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—There were pending at the close of the last fiscal year 24 espionage cases, and 20 cases were terminated during that year.



View of the imposing Southern Pacific station at Fourteenth and Franklin, showing the approach, the facade, the ornamentation, desecration and dilapidation

S. P. Must Act at Once on 14th and Franklin Station

(Continued from Page 1.)

After two company officials testified that in their opinion no depot facilities whatever are necessary at the Fourteenth and Franklin streets terminal.

Attorney Gray seized upon this admission to point out the provision in the California statutes which opens the way to force a public utility to quit, after five years' possession of property, classed as inoperative. Admission by the company that the portion of the property occupied by the depot is not necessary to the railroad's proper function, is tantamount to declaring it inoperative, Gray contended.

BURDEN IS ADDED TO PUBLIC TAXATION

In this respect Gray attacked the company for adding a burden of taxation to the public by classifying the entire block as operative property and having it declared locally tax free. He declared that the city is being deprived of \$15,000 annual revenue in taxes through this arrangement. The property is valued at \$1,500,000, including the right-of-way privilege, Gray explained. Deducting \$500,000 for right of way valuation and assessing the property at 50 per cent of its real value, he pointed out that it would yield a yearly tax income to the municipality of approximately \$15,000.

"The city of Oakland demands a showdown," declared Gray. "We want to have it determined whether or not this is operative or inoperative property. If it is operative property, then we respectfully urge

that the commission compel the company to build a new station. If it is inoperative property, then Oakland is entitled to a revenue through taxation, if not from the entire property, then at least from that portion of it which is inoperative."

OAKLAND READY TO INVOLVE PROCEEDINGS

In discussing the possibility of invoking action to force the company to dispose of a part of the block, Gray explained that proceedings can be invoked through the attorney-general of the State. He further pointed out that the matter would be called to the attention of the Interstate Commerce Commission for the purpose of showing that the Southern Pacific company's request for a \$15,000,000 extension of credit for rehabilitation of its lines is not entirely warranted if the railroad has inoperative property from which funds can be derived through sale.

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One Boy Killed, Two Injured in Search For Gold

(By United Press)

SAN BERNARDINO, Cal., Dec. 21.—Virgil Shaddox, 11, is dead and two of his comrades are seriously injured today—victims of a craving for gold and adventure.

Ever since San Bernardino was a mining camp, a tale has been told of the lost gold ledge of Lytle Creek. Virgil, Jesse Caylor, Leonard Butler and two other boys, decided to find out for themselves.

Four hours they labored with pick and shovel, following out a tunnel. Suddenly the bank of the creek collapsed, burying beneath it the three lads. Shaddox was dead when taken out. Caylor and Butler were severely hurt.

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DEATH THREATS MADE BY TRIO; STORES ROBBED

Police today are searching for three automobile bandits who last night held up and robbed stores in North Richmond and Berkeley, and, after threatening to kill the proprietors, made their escape in a machine with loot totaling more than \$55. All of the highwaymen were masked and armed with pistols. Two wore red bandana handkerchiefs which covered their faces, while the third wore a heavy red sweater. According to witnesses, they worked with cool precision, which enabled them to make their escape with little trouble.

CONSUMERS INTIMIDATED

While the bandits inside the store were rifling the cash register, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Silva, who reside near by, came to the store to make some purchases. The bandit outside pulled his pistol and forced them into the store, where they were locked in by the bandits, who jumped into their machine and escaped.

C. C. Haines, proprietor of a grocery store at 2440 Telegraph avenue, Berkeley, was the next victim. After several customers had left the store, the bandits entered and robbed the cash drawer of \$35.

After leaving the grocery store the bandits drove to the barber shop, owned by Joe Sampson and his brother-in-law, Antonio Focha, at 1024 Fifth street, Berkeley. Entering the establishment, they backed the proprietors to the wall.

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Then, turning out the electric lights, they went through the cash register and escaped in the darkness. After the robbers had left the proprietors discovered that about \$21 had been taken.

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Prospect Appears Bright For Averting Ferry Strike

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RATE BOOST IS DENIED CARRIERS

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 21.—Refusing to grant the rail carriers of California authority to change the classification of preserved fruits, the Railroad Commission today practically denied an increase in rates for transporting these commodities in less than carload lots. The rates proposed are now in effect on interstate shipments. The California carriers had asked that the rates be made uniform throughout reclassification.

Commissioner D. H. Loveland, in an opinion in the case, declared that while uniform classification is desirable and would, no doubt, remove alleged discriminations now existing, he felt, "in view of the fact that rates have been increased in many different ways during the past few years until, it is claimed by the shippers, that they have reached a level where the movement by railroad has been curtailed, that further increases would not be to the advantage of the carriers, especially in the transportation of short haul traffic."

Gen. Barry, Governor Soldiers' Home, Dies

SAVANNAH, Ga., Dec. 21.—General Patrick Henry Barry, governor of the United States Soldiers' Home here and known as a leader of the Grand Army of the Republic, died today following a brief illness.

Major H. J. Maggot will succeed automatically to the post of acting governor of the home until a successor is named by the federal authorities at Washington.

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Silk Shirts of the highest grade silks. Special **\$8.85**

Boxed Handkerchiefs, including many novelties. Initialed and plain; boxes of 2 for \$1.6 for \$1.50, \$2 up to \$1.50.

Smoking Jacket Special—finely tailored of double-faced cloth; extra values at **\$9.75**

Blanket Robes Below Usual—specially bought and priced extremely low at **\$8.75**

Gifts for Women

Read this small list of extra-values; many others equally as strong are in our stocks.

Women's Robes Reduced—many lots of beautiful gift blanket robes are now priced \$6.45, \$8.45, \$10.45.

All Women's Velvet Handbags bought recently at low prices are now at **1/2 OFF**

All Women's Fitted-Roll-Ups; leather cases with ivory and tortoise finish fittings. **1/2 OFF**

Women's Flare Silk Scarfs—bordered plain and two-tones... **\$4.65**

Gifts for Children

Boys' Sweaters at close to half—a manufacturer's overstocks; Byron collar styles. Sale **\$3.65**

X101—Boys' Gift Neckwear—full length four-in-hands, Persian and Roman stripe designs in gift folders **75c**

X102—Boxed Suspenders for boys, in many webs, nicely trimmed in Xmas boxes—75c and 51c.

X101—Belts in Xmas Boxes—of solid leather with fancy raised initial ratchet buckle; Special **\$1**

X101—Cowboy Suits—Blouse, hat and trousers of khaki, leatherette and spangle trimmed; larlar, belt, pistol and holster and bandana **\$2.85**

Silk Gift Reefers

X128—Plain Silk Reefers of soft silks in black, white, gray, with fringed ends, \$2.50, \$3 and \$3.50.

X129—Knitted Silk Reefers in accordion rib effects with fringed ends; rich combinations of colors, \$7.50 to \$12.50.

X130—Imported Swiss Reefers in spider weaves, stripes and plain colors, \$15 to \$22.50.

Smokers' Articles

X303—1920 Novelty Sets for smokers, trays and combination sets with two to six individual trays; of colored enamel and nickel combined. New and different, \$3.00 to \$32.50.

Hummers—the gift for smokers—many sizes, holding from 50 to 200 cigars; mahogany, brass and Jacobean finishes with metal or porcelain linings, \$6.50 to \$20.

Other Gifts for Men

Gloves, Sweaters, Umbrellas, Cans, Gift Jewelry, Hat Orders

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Silk Hosiery

X100—Phoenix Pure Thread Silk Hose—semi-fashionable, durable; recently priced down to **\$1.35**

X101—Phoenix Full-Fashioned Pure Silk Hose—For style and service. Colors, black, white, Havana, cloud and navy; now reduced to, pair... **\$2.35**

X104A—Chiffon Hose—the rage now; silver, tulle and lace, pair **\$4.00**

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opera top and other styles of Italian silk. Deeply loved in pair to **\$3.75**

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Pure Silk Hose: reinforced foot, heel and toe; all shades; all sizes, pair **\$1.23**

Pure Silk Outside Hose: black, white and cord- **\$1.95**

Pure Silk, Full Fashion Hose: gold top, ... **\$2.95**

All Wool Sweaters: Tuxedo style; large variety of colors; G. & M. **\$6.95**

Mixed Silk: Pure Silk Hosiery quality. **69c**

Boys' Ruff Neck Sweaters: G. & M. **\$2.65**

Ladies' Fanny Handkerchiefs: white or fancy designs; 2 to a box— **50c to \$1.23**

Blankets: gray or white; 60x76; pair... **\$2.85**

MEN'S DEPT.

EXTRA SPECIAL PRESIDENT SUSPENDERS, packed in holiday boxes, pair **50c**

All Silk Four-in-Hand Ties—Large variety: **\$2.00**

3-stitched, semi-lined handkerchiefs, each: **25c**

Silk Fibre Hose: all colors; all sizes, pair **59c**

Pure Silk Hose: all colors and sizes, pair: **95c**

Men's Dress Suits: stiff or soft cuffs: **\$1.65**

Men's Silk Shirts: **\$4.95**

Men's Underwear: heavy or medium weight: **\$1.06**

Flannel Shirts, Khaki or Gray, high or low collars: **\$3.95**

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AXMINSTERS in Oriental and floral patterns with rich, plush pile and colors going through to the back. 27x54, \$3.50, \$4.50, \$5.25, \$5.75, \$6.35, \$8.00, \$8.50, \$9.75, \$12.95, \$17.25, \$27.25. 36x63, \$8.75, \$10.75, \$12.95, \$17.25, \$27.25. 36x72, \$13.50, \$14.25, \$15.00, \$16.50, \$17.25.

9x12 AXMINSTER RUGS in Oriental designs and colors—colors going through to the back. Deep plush pile, beautiful lustre. \$49.50, \$90.00. **9x12 SEAMLESS WOOL BRUSSELS RUGS**, closely woven in small, neat patterns. Good-looking Living, Dining and Bedroom effects. \$49.50.

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WOOL AND FIBRE RUGS, reversible. Small, neat patterns in green, tan and red, brown and tan, olive, tan and brown, blue and cream, rose verdure and ivory. 9x10-6, \$14.75-9x12, \$17.50.

WOOL AND FIBRE RUGS, reversible, extra heavy fabric—9x12, \$27.50. **LOCHINVAR ART RUGS** in a very good heavy fabric, beautiful pastel colors, plain centers. Colors that will blend in with living or bedroom color schemes, shades that, as a rule, come only in very expensive floor coverings. 8 3/4x10 6, \$32.50-9x12, \$37.50.

PURE CORK LINO-LEUM, heavily enameled to give a durable surface. In a variety of colors and designs. Per yard, laid, \$1.25 and \$1.45. **INLAID LINO-LEUM**—with colors going through to the back. Lifetime wearing. Two-tone brown, brown and blue, blue tile. Per yard, laid, \$2.00.

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CHEER PROMISED COUNTY PATIENTS

Every man, woman and child in the county will have one thing at least they want to make their Christmas happy. Representatives from the Alameda county Christmas committee have seen to it that into the stack of gift boxes has gone the personal remembrance that each patient in the county hospitals has been overlooked in the holiday plans. Christmas trees and smaller ones for the shut-ins are a part of the holiday plans at both the county hospitals.

Gifts from the public have made the celebration possible. F. Garrison, treasurer of the county hospitals Christmas committee reports the following additional contributions:

H. J. Harpet, \$25. American theater, \$25. employees of Oakland California Towel Co., \$25.75. Plaster Union No. 112, \$20. Motion Picture and Projection Machine Operators' Local No. 145, \$20. W. H. Barry, \$10. contributions taken at Central Labor Council, \$20. Washington market, \$20. Theatrical Federation of Alameda County, \$20. Ben F. Woolner, \$10. J. D. Quinn, \$10. Peter Bros., \$10. Elen Creamery Co., \$10. H. J. Gilchrist Furniture Co., \$10. Sanitary Free market, \$10. Oswalds, \$10. A. Sutherland, \$10. W. D. Silva, Centerville, \$5. Lyons Moving and Storage Co., \$5. James Travers, \$5. Bay Vista Painter, N. D. G. W., \$5. Margaret Slavich, \$5. Tennis Club, \$5. The Harber, Brand, \$5. N. G. Newman, \$5. Harrison Bell, \$5. Pochontas Society, \$5. A. Friend, \$2.50. Mrs. Charles L. Snook, \$2.50. Davidson & Light, \$2.50. Court, \$2.50. Mary B. Wright, \$2.50. Court University, No. 7915, A. of F., Berkeley, \$2.50. a friend, \$1.

BERKELEY PLANS AMERICAN HOUSE

BERKELEY, Dec. 21.—Berkeley will have a permanent "American House" where foreigners coming to the city may be educated in the ideals of the country of their adoption as a result of a proposed gift of the Mobilized Women's organization to the city.

Arrangements to purchase the present quarters of the society at Ninth street and University avenue have been completed and as soon as the legal technicalities are met a deed of trust for the property will be turned over to the city fathers. The deed will provide that the property thus presented to the city must be used for the purpose of educating foreign-born mothers and their children residing in Berkeley in the ideals of American citizenship.

The perpetuation of the purpose is legally provided for as long as the Mobilized Women continue to function for such a need. Thereafter under the terms of the trust the property passes into the hands of the city to be used for welfare activities. A board of five trustees will administer the operation of the house in co-ordination with other city work being provided for in the appointment of the chairman of the Berkeley charity commission as a member of the governing body.

The report of Mrs. L. D. Blighman, treasurer of the society, showed total receipts of the year of \$13,771. With a surplus from last year the total resources were brought to \$14,773, of which amount the sum of \$2,500 has been spent on equipment and permanent improvements of the property.

Wage Reductions Announced in East

TOLLEDO, Ohio, Dec. 21.—Iron, steel, and other great branches of industry in this city were announced last night and it was said that similar reductions soon would be made by five other branches of the industry.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Dec. 21.—Reduction in wages in virtually all the plants in four great branches of industry in this city were announced last night and it was said that similar reductions soon would be made by five other branches of the industry.

Southland Teachers To Hold Convention

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 21.—The southern section of the California Teachers' Association will meet here tomorrow for a three-day convention. A county institute attended by more than 3000 teachers, is preceding it. Among today's speakers at the institute are Dr. Aurelia Reynolds, president of Mills College; Dr. C. D. Chadee, dean of the department of education of the University of Illinois; A. E. Winship and Arthur H. Chamberlain, editors of education papers; and Mr. Marion Craig Wentworth of Santa Barbara. Dr. Henry Sullivan, president of the University of Washington at Seattle and Frank Allyn Parsons of the New York School of Fine and Applied Arts are to speak tomorrow before the general sessions.

Four Boys Who Sold Tribune Are Singers

Harry Barber, James Hennessey, Clarence Peck and Edward Costa, Oakland newsboys who have formed a quartet, are singing at the 10th street theater this week with view to a contract to tour the circuit. They have met approval here. The boys all sold The TRIBUNE.

RANDY'S STALL WHISKY
ESTABLISHED 1880. Dec. 21.—A masked and armed men held up the farm home of Robert Andrist at Woodens, south of here, at midnight Sunday, and after turning the occupants out in the freezing weather stole sixteen cases of whisky, a shotgun and a rifle. J. W. Hurley of Omaha, Neb., and Fred Olson of Henningsbrook have been arrested.

Augmented Choir Will Sing Carols in Front of City Hall

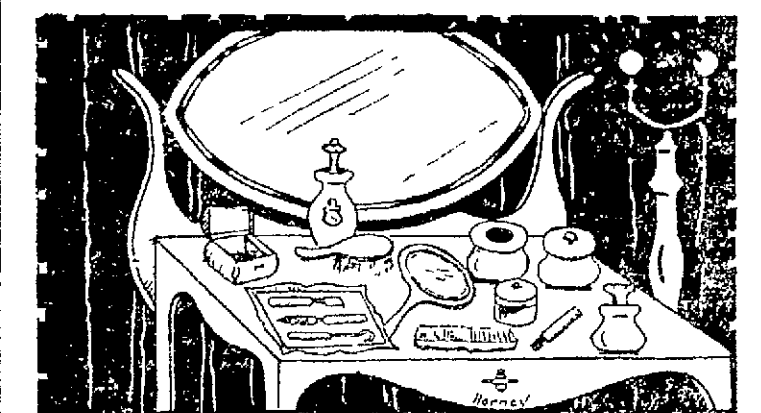


OTIS D. IRONMONGER, the singing evangelist, who is to lead a huge chorus choir in the singing of Christmas carols to-morrow evening at the Civic Auditorium.

Hundreds Will Participate in Christmas Eve Ceremonies Led by Evangelist

Christmas carols will be sung by the choir of the Union Evangelistic meetings in front of the City Hall, Washington street, entrance on Christmas Eve. The choir which has been recruited from the big town churches is comprised of several hundred men, women and children. The choir will be led by Otis D. Ironmonger, formerly pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Oakland, and now associated with John Linwood Brown, evangelist.

Included in the choir are Mrs. William G. Eggleston, Mrs. W. F. Fee and Isabelle Downing. The singing will begin at 8 o'clock. The union evangelistic meetings will be held in a tabernacle which is being built by volunteer labor at Grand avenue near Broadway, opposite the Key Route Inn. Work on the building was begun this morning.



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Our prices were the lowest in Oakland. Now with an EXTRA 10% DISCOUNT on all ivory you will save considerable.

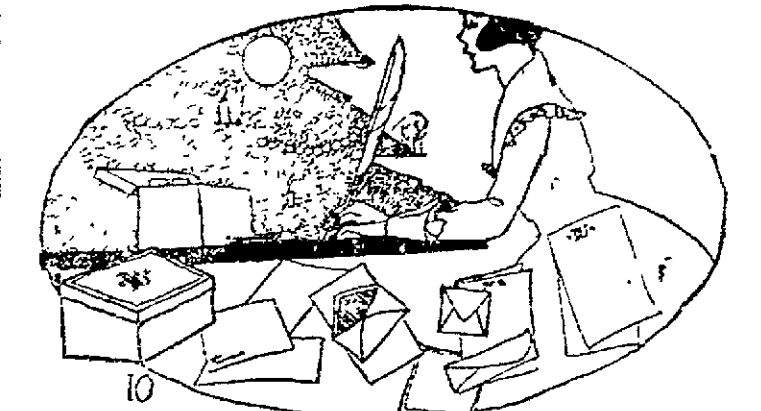
Ivory sets, mirrors, combs, brushes, manicure articles, clocks, lamps, shaving sets and thousands of other useful pieces at 10% DISCOUNT.

Perfume Sets 50c to \$5.00
Cologne, Eau de Toilette, Pinks, Roses, Geraniums, etc.
SPECIAL MAVIS PERFUME SETS
Regular \$1.75 Regular \$3.50
\$2 sets \$1.75 \$3.75 sets \$3.50

KODAKS REDUCED 10%

10% reduction on all folding kodaks except Brownie. Reductions on kodak supplies, developing tanks, dark-room lamps, plate holders, trays, printing frames, chemicals, paper, etc.

10% OFF STATIONERY and BOND PAPER



All Christmas stationery, hundreds of boxes from 35c to \$2.00, reduced 10%. An enormous selection of the newest papers, printed and plain, all reduced.

Normal Pharmacie
11th and Broadway Open till 1 A. M.

ETHEL MOORE FUND GROWING

Holidays and the heavy demands upon the public to meet the needs of those who would lack Christmas cheer, has not interfered with the work of the Ethel Moore Memorial Committee whose task is to erect a children's unit to the Alameda County Public Health Center. A steady flow of gifts from small contributors are daily reaching the Thirtieth street headquarters. The mail brought in more than \$300 to be added to the \$85,000 fund yesterday. The largest contributions to the building fund have not yet been announced. Campaigns are in progress in all of the prominent clubs, to roll up substantial donations that the practical monument to the late leader in health work may be speedily realized. Special committees from the various professions are making a canvass of their members. Reports will probably be made after the first of the year.

To show the public what the health center in its child work stands for, the films which have been made at the clinics in the building at Thirtieth and Grove streets and in the maturation classes in the public schools are being shown this week at the Oakland Orpheum. Although the brief glimpse covers little more than three minutes, it demonstrates the crowded conditions which exist and the imperative need for adequate housing.

The Children's Building will be situated at Second avenue and East Tenth street and will be erected at a cost of approximately \$35,000. It will be devoted entirely to the care of the inmates of the county and will contain complete dental, medical, surgical and orthopedic clinics. Maintenance is provided through the school department budget and the appropriation of the Alameda County Board of Supervisors.

made for the seating of a chorus choir, numbering about a thousand. The meetings, which start January 2, will continue for one month and will be led by John Linwood Brown, evangelist of Alameda County. They are being promoted by the First Christian Methodist Baptist, Presbyterian and Congregational churches, with the co-operation of all the evangelical churches in the city.

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Crepe de Chine and Wash Satin Envelope Chemises Night Gowns Bloomers Camisoles

NIGHT GOWNS, tailored or trimmed in lace ribbon and shirring, formerly priced at \$8.00 to \$8.50. ENVELOPE CHEMISES, daintily trimmed in lace and ribbon, straps, pointed shoulders, etc., selling formerly at \$5.00 to \$27.75. BLOOMERS in Crepe de Chine, Glove Silk and Wash Satin, embroidered and lace trimmed, selling formerly at \$5.00 to \$20.00. CAMISOLE, in regulation armhole styles or ribbon straps, tailored or trimmed, selling formerly at \$4.00 to \$13.75.

On Sale Wednesday and Thereafter

—Both Underwear Sections—Second Floor

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Open Evenings Wednesday, Thursday and Friday

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SNWOOD & Co.
14 TH & WASHINGTON OAKLAND
4TH & MARKET SAN FRANCISCO

Boys' Clothes

that are the most
practical gifts one
can choose for Xmas

Boys' suits in mixtures of brown, green and gray, new models. Greatly reduced in price. \$9.35

Overcoats for the little fellow, style in brown, grays and greens made to fit snugly around the neck. Sizes 3 to 8 \$7.35

Boys' play suits greatly reduced—Indian, cowboy, policeman or soldier suits.

\$1.50 values now on sale at \$1.00
\$1.75 values now on sale at \$1.25
\$2.00 values now on sale at \$1.35
\$2.50 values now on sale at \$1.75

Everything Wanted in Boys' Furnishings

Boys' Ties in holiday boxes—50c to \$1.50

Boys' Suspenders in holiday boxes—50c to \$1.00

Boys' Belts in holiday boxes—75c to \$1.25

Boys' fancy border handkerchiefs 15c

Boys' Initial Handkerchiefs—(in boxes of 6) 25c each

Boys' Bath Robes \$4.95 to \$8.50

Cuff Links, Tie Pins, Collar Pins—25c to \$1.00

Boys' Blouses, guaranteed dyes, \$1.50 values \$1.15

Boys' 1/2 length heavy ribbed hose, \$1.50 values \$1.15

Children's plush and velvet hats greatly reduced.

\$1.50 & \$2.00 values, sale price \$.95

\$2.50 & \$3.00 values, sale price \$1.95

\$5.00 values, sale price \$3.95

\$6.00 values, sale price \$3.95

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Furnishings for Men for Xmas

Appropriate and
practical wearables
that all men like to get

Xmas Specials on Ties

\$1.00 Ties, special 3 for \$2.75
\$1.50 Ties, special 3 for \$4.00
\$2.00 Ties, special 3 for \$5.50
\$2.50 Ties, special 3 for \$6.75
\$3.00 Ties, special 3 for \$8.00
\$3.50 Ties, special 3 for \$9.00
\$4.00 Ties, special 3 for \$10.50
A big special in Silk Knit Ties \$1.95

Shirt Specials

Values to \$2.50, \$1.75 or 3 for \$ 3.75
Values to \$4.00, \$2.95 or 3 for \$ 8.00
Values to \$5.00, \$3.85 or 3 for \$10.50
Values to \$6.50, \$4.95 or 3 for \$13.75

Lounging and Bath Robes

Special \$7.95 and \$8.95

Ladies' Scarfs and Slip-Ons

Remaining odds and ends one-half off

Ladies' Hosiery Special

Pure silk \$2.50 values; special \$1.95
Colors black, brown, white

Men's Hats for Xmas

Mallory, silk finish \$8.30
Schoble, silk finish \$8.30
\$12.00 velvet \$8.30
\$10.00 felt \$7.35
\$6.00 felt \$5.00

Special

Fall caps for men and young men in all the latest colors, pleated backs and fancy overplaid.
Price—\$1.95, \$2.55, \$3.10 and \$3.65.
Give Him a Hat Order

Men's Clothing Clearance

Reduced from \$50 and \$55

SAVE \$16 to \$21 on your purchase during this clothing sale. You may buy a Suit or Overcoat of better quality now than this price has bought in many, many months. All styles, all patterns and sizes for men and young men of all proportions.

\$34

Class Ads Bring Results in The Tribune

ALAMEDA TO HAVE REGULAR CROP OF CHRISTMAS TREES

ALAMEDA, Dec. 21.—Alameda has a regular crop of Christmas trees. Some of these are in fire stations, some in Boy Scout headquarters, some in the churches, and hundreds in the various homes. The grand daddy of all will be the big community tree on the corner of Park and Central avenue.

Two trees will appeal strongly to the favor of children. One will be at Boy Scout headquarters, and the other at Fire House No. 1. The former will be for scouts but the latter, which will be presided over by a Santa Claus from the fire department, will be for every youngster in the city.

The scout tree was given the boys by E. K. Taylor. Decorations and gifts to cover it are being secured by Deputy Commissioner E. H. Levy. Santa Claus will visit this tree on the evening of December 29.

FIREMEN BUSY

Through the efforts of Police Officer William G. Pries and Captain Gus Wagner of the fire department, a large tree has been secured for the fire department. The tree was conveyed in triumph to the Webb street house this morning and already Cap-

Prof. G. H. Robinson to Succeed Prof. Elliott

BERKELEY, Dec. 21.—Prof. G. H. Robinson of the department of jurisprudence will fill the position of professor of international law at the university left vacant by the resignation of Prof. Edward Elliott, brother-in-law of President Wilson, according to an announcement of President David P. Barrows.

Professor Elliott goes to Los Angeles to become vice-president of a bank the first of the year.

lain Wagner and his men are busy engaged in decorating it in anticipation of the coming of Santa Claus.

A great stack of to s, candies, cookies, fruit and other goodies has been secured and every youngster in Alameda who can be on hand when Santa arrives will receive a gift.

Games will be played, there will be singing and every one will have a good time. The tree is an annual feature developed by the men of the fire department.

COMMUNITY TREE

The community tree will be over forty feet high. It will be placed in position tomorrow by a special pole crew of the municipal electric light department. A hundred miles of spun glass streamers will be strung over its green arms and when the electric lights are flashed on will give a beautiful effect. The base of the tree will be revolving. A chorus platform is being erected at Park and Central and from this on Christmas carols will be sung by a special community chorus under the direction of Herbert P. Mac, by the various vested choirs of the city.

Nearly all of the churches are planning trees and Christmas programs.

COIN GONE, NAVY YARD MAY CUT WORKING FORCE

VALLEJO, Dec. 21.—No more employees can be called at Mare Island, according to the latest orders received here from the Navy Department. It is also stated at the yard that unless Congress appropriates more money during the next few weeks to help carry on the repair work at the navy yards a big reduction will have to be made in the force.

The force at present numbers more than 8000 and the payroll is \$300,000 a week. The yard officers believe that even if the present Congress favors economy it will appropriate enough money to keep the ships of the fleet in first-class shape.

Stay of Sentence

Is Granted Rumely

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—Stay of sentence was granted Dr. Edward A. Rumely today, pending his appeal from conviction on charges of violating the enemy trading act in connection with the German ownership of the New York Evening Mail for a time under his control. Rumely and his two co-defendants, S. Walker Kaufman and Norvin K. Landheim, furnished bail of \$10,000 each.

NEW SYSTEM OF DRAWING JURY WILL BE ASKED

SAN JOSE, Dec. 21.—Owing to the growth of Santa Clara county, the methods of selecting jurors followed in the past will be changed by the coming legislature, according to A. J. Hubbard, county supervisor.

In the past the judges of the superior court have named the number of jurors they would need during a year and this number would be apportioned among the different supervisors according to the population of the districts. The supervisors would then make out a list of names which would be placed in a box and drawn as needed by the sheriff. In case of an insufficient number for the year, the names would be put back in the box for a second drawing.

The supervisors have furnished their list of names for 1921, and it is believed this will be the last time that will be used for that duty. According to the law after a county's population has reached 100,000 and the proper action has been taken by the state legislature, the judges of the superior court select the names for the jury. Santa Clara county has passed the 100,000 mark, according to the last census, so the matter will be taken up with the state officers when the new session opens.

'UNTO THE LEAST OF THESE' HERE'S YOUR HAPPINESS!

ALAMEDA, Dec. 21.—Anyone wanting to take two freckled-nosed little boys and a golden-ringed little girl to board until their father can come and get them can apply for the happy privilege to Mrs. Bullock Stunn, in charge of Alameda's social service bureau in the city hall. Mrs. Stunn has three such youngsters, the oldest 14 and the youngest 7.

Their mother died two weeks ago in the county hospital, and their father is somewhere in Nevada. Efforts are being made to get in touch with him, but it is not expected that they will be successful until after January 1.

At the present time these little tots are being cared for by kind-hearted neighbors. This morning they were back to Mrs. Stunn's for aid. They are almost without clothes and their shoes are worn through. An average of one extremely needy case a day is coming into Mrs. Stunn's office. Sixty dollars was sent her by generous Alamedans last week, but she needs ten times that amount to meet the urgent demands made upon her office.

MORSE PLANS TO REMODEL POLICE

An ordinance amending the city charter to reorganize the police department, about to be introduced by Commissioner Morse in the City Council this morning, was withheld until it be found whether there is time enough to place it on the ballot for the February 3 election.

The city attorney said it was a day too late, according to present indications, but various authorities will be consulted and perhaps the ordinance may be re-introduced tomorrow.

The proposed amendment is the result of a study by a committee of seven policemen headed by Captain Thorwald Brown. Its main plan, Morse says, is to place the minimum pay of a policeman at \$150.

The bone of contention in the proposed amendment, however, is a paragraph stating that the "Captain of Inspectors shall be appointed by the chief of police and shall hold office at the option of the chief of police."

Political observers at the city hall assert that, if Walter J. Petersen be reinstated as captain of inspectors, there will be a rough little battle about that paragraph. The proposed ordinance, it is pointed out, would change the status of a captain of inspectors completely. Its advocates assert that it would make a Petersen case impossible. Its opponents say it would make the situation of any captain of inspectors impossible, unless he "stood in" with the chief of police.

Alameda's Townclock Is Ready for Tower

ALAMEDA, Dec. 21.—After several months' delay, Alameda's town clock has finally arrived and the work of measuring the tower station for its early installation was commenced this morning. The clock is the gift of Mrs. Herman Krusi and was made in Connecticut. It will be installed in the tower of the city hall and all four faces of the structure will be provided with a dial so that Alameda, no matter what the location, will be enabled to tell the correct time. The bell will sound at 9 o'clock and at 12.

Grain Elevators For Yolo Planned

WOODLAND, Cal., Dec. 21.—Erection of five grain elevators in Yolo county is planned by the Farm Bureau Elevator corporation, a co-operative organization, in an effort to eliminate what is said to be a yearly loss of approximately \$200,000 from the purchase of grain bags which are used but once. The elevators are planned for Davis, Woodland, Zamora, Yolo and Dunning.

MARTINEZ WATER RATE ARGUED

MARTINEZ, Dec. 21.—Contentions made by the town of Martinez that the increased water rates granted the Port Costa Water company are discriminatory against this city and a plea that an adjustment be ordered, will be made by briefs instead of oral argument, according to an announcement by City Attorney A. F. Bray. The application of the town which requested the hearing on the application of the water company for increased rates will be heard by the rail board today. According to Bray, the water company attorneys have agreed to submission of the case in this manner.

Contention is made by Martinez that the company was allowed to charge virtually the same rates for water wholesaled to Martinez as it is permitted to charge consumers in other towns on a retail basis. Attention is directed by Bray to the fact the city owns its water system and that the company is not put to any expense for maintenance.

\$50,000 Suit for Damages Hard Fought

Indications of a hard legal battle in connection with the \$50,000 damage suit of Orison H. Van Horn against the Standard Oil company, Charles E. Hollar and others were seen in Judge Everett J. Brown's court today, when, after two days' battling between half a dozen attorneys, the jury had not yet been secured.

Van Horn claims his right arm and foot were crushed January 30, 1919, when he was struck by a Standard Oil truck, driven by Hollar and Sam Smith, just after he had alighted from a street car at San Pablo avenue and Washington street. He charges the truck was going faster than twenty-five miles an hour and that no warning was sounded. The defendants deny both of these charges and insist Van Horn was negligent and did not look ahead of him, but walked in the truck.

Chapman E. Trefethen and William S. Wells Jr. represent the plaintiff, while Donahue & Hynes and Redman & Alexander appear for the defendants.

Wife Lets Husband Secure the Divorce

When Mrs. Julia Wahlum, who had brought suit for divorce from Ole Wahlum, charging him with cruelty, appeared before Judge L. S. Church today she had lost all her desire for a separation, according to the statement of her attorney to the court. She said she had no witness-stand, but denied she had agreed with her husband not to contest his cross-complaint.

Wahlum introduced several witnesses to support his charges of cruelty and desertion and he was granted a decree. Mrs. Wahlum charged that he kicked her, forced her out of the house, called her names, refused to give her money for clothing and did not take her to places of amusement. Wahlum declared his wife found fault with him, accused him of going out with other women and being angry frequently, yelling and screaming so that he had to go to the street while she cooled off.

Berkeley Market Ordinance Tabled

BERKELEY, Dec. 21.—Berkeley's new municipal market ordinance, which has been drafted to take the place of the old one, which was held by Superior Judge Everett J. Brown to be illegal and a violation of the city's charter, was presented to the City Council today by Councilman Carl Ricketts.

Upon a recommendation of City Attorney Frank V. Cornish it was decided to lay the new ordinance aside until after the state legislature ratified the amendment to the charter as approved by the voters at the last election. The amendment, Cornish said, provides more power to the city and makes it possible to establish a municipal market under the old plan.

'Dope' Is Blamed for Chicago's Crime Wave

CHICAGO, Dec. 21.—Inability of many idlers to obtain whiskey is at the bottom of the crime wave which is apparently sweeping the country, according to the opinion advanced today by Charles H. Morris, head of the Chicago police department.

"Men out of work are unable to get whiskey," the chief said, "and are turning to the use of dope. The dope feeds natural trend is toward the criminal class. They are drifting toward criminal associates. They obtain their drugs from criminals and in that way the number of possible criminals is increased."

ROOSEVELT HAS JOB BALTIMORE, Dec. 21.—Franklin D. Roosevelt, candidate for the vice-presidency on the Democratic ticket in the last election, will assume charge of the New York office of the Fidelity and Deposit company of Maryland on January 1.

DENTISTS GET RULING SACRAMENTO, Dec. 21.—Dentists in this state have no legal right to sign a death certificate. This ruling was made today by Attorney General C. S. Webb in an opinion to the State Board of Dental Examiners. The opinion was in reply to a question by the board touching on this point.

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Dainty Pink Roses with conventional border in black and white. The \$16.90	"Traymore" white ransome shape, 48 pieces; very slightly imperfect. The \$6.90	

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Large assortment of party boxes. Prices from \$3.95 to \$26.50

Beaded Bags, \$2.95, \$15.75, \$20.95, \$37.50, \$39.50, \$42.50, \$47.50.

Children's Bags in all sizes and prices 20% discount on Vachette Swagger Bags

1/4 off on Collar Boxes and Portfolios

Men's and Women's Leather Roll-ups. \$4.00 UP

Music Rolls and Cases from \$1.25 UP

Whist and Poker Sets from \$2.25 UP

Manicure Roll-ups from \$2.50 UP

Military Brushes, the set, from \$3.50 UP

Wallets \$1.25 to \$22.50

14K Gold Covered Seal Wallets from \$7 to \$15

ONE-FOURTH OFF on Collar Boxes, Portfolios, Writing Cases, Necktie Cases, Handkerchief Cases

SPECIAL DISCOUNT ON NOVELTY BEADS

Pearl Beads, \$7.50 and \$8.00, special \$6.95

Pearl Beads, short and opera length. Prices ranging from \$1.25 to \$47.50.

Mesh Bags, gold or silver finish. Prices \$7.50 to \$25. 1/4 OFF

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EXPLORER PLANS NEW JOURNEY TO GET EGYPT GOAT

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 21.—Despite the terrors through which he passed while journeying through the wilds of South America, Dr. Alexander Hamilton Rice, explorer, plans soon to leave for Egypt in an endeavor to locate a certain species of goat which is valuable in medical research work. He expressed this intention in an address on South America before the Geographical Society here.

Dr. Rice said his trip through South America took him to the Negro, the largest tributary of the Amazon, through a natural canal more than 200 miles long connecting it with the Orinoco, into hitherto unexplored portions of Brazil. It was here that he found a small, unknown tribe of Cannibal Indians, who for seventeen days pursued his party in an effort to cut off their return.

PARTY IS ATTACKED.

The attack occurred in a wild spot along the banks of the Orinoco, where Dr. Rice had made camp the night before. Two of his Indian guides had gone up the river in a canoe to test the depth of the water, when they saw something moving

along the banks. Looking closer, they perceived the forms of Indians closing in on the camp, and hastily turning about, hurried back to warn the remainder of the party.

"A few moments after the guides' return," Dr. Rice said, "the entire bank was literally lined with wildly shrieking and gesticulating figures who brandished bows about seven feet high, with arrows six feet long. Just opposite me I saw one huge creature, evidently the chief or leader, who was shouting and foaming at the mouth and making motions that apparently meant to express anticipation of a hearty meal that night. He was neither negro nor Indian, and he had black hairs on his upper lip—a thing I had never seen on an Indian. We tried talking to them in every language and dialect at our command. We laid hatchets, knives and dishes on the rocks in an attempt to pacify them, but they apparently had no idea what they were for, and there was no doubting the fact they intended to fight.

ESCAPE IN DARKNESS.

"Early when one of the arrows landed just at my feet, I decided it was time to do something, and we fired the Winchester rifle and Parker shotgun, our only weapons, over their heads. This frightened them for the moment, and gave us time to get our things packed together and a start down the river. Shortly afterward, darkness descended, and all night long we could hear their blood-curdling screams as they kept at our heels. When morning broke, we went on, a thick mist covered the entire river, and it was this that gave us our chance to escape. When we finally reached deep water we knew that we were safe, for the Guaranis do not use boats or canoes, and it was too deep for them to wade."

ENGLAND, FRANCE EXPERIMENT ON AERIAL LIGHTWAY

LONDON, Dec. 21.—Important experiments are being carried out by the Air Ministry for the purpose of constructing an aerial lightway between England and France.

Two suggestions have been put forward by the experts. One is for the use of powerful searchlights, ranging many miles; the other is for a series of stationary vertical beams. So far experiments have been carried out with searchlights. The plan is to have five stations erected on the English side of the Channel and five on the route from the French coast to Paris. Already there are lighthouses at Crocydon and Lympne, in England.

One great result of this lighted way would be the commercial possibilities of night flying by the aircraft transport companies. It would be possible for cargoes to be collected at the end of the business day in London and delivered at the beginning of the business day in Paris.

Slow machines would economize in fuel and also carry bigger loads, thus materially reducing costs.

If you saw it in The TRIBUNE tell them so.

SMITHY WANTS WIFE, BUT NOT A PERFECT "36"

BATTLE CREEK, Mich., Dec. 21.—There's a premium in Battle Creek on cards distributed at a recent church service by A. J. Dolly, blacksmith who, according to the pastboards, is seeking a "perfect others-than-thirties." Only 500 cards were printed and the holders are conceded by popular opinion to prize them highly.

Dolly prefaces his unique "advertisement" for a new model 1920 wife with the scriptural quotation: "It is not good for man to live alone."

The remainder of the card space gives the following requirements for any applicant for the sharing of Dolly's life:

"A good Christian woman about thirty-five years of age; five feet tall; intelligent; in the line of moral reform, just visiting and physical culture."

"No high heels, transparent clothes or medicine chest wanted. Good proof of character required."

Dolly's card was widely distributed and he acknowledges a divorced wife and several children.

Although femininity here is again over Dolly's venture, the replies the blacksmith Lockhart has had to date he attributes to "kiddies."

REFUGEES POUR INTO HUNGARY; CAUSE CRISES

IN BUDAPEST, Dec. 21.—So many thousands of Magyar families and former government officials are pouring into smaller Hungary from lost provinces of Hungary that the government is making every effort to stop it.

Count Paul Teleki, Hungarian premier, has sent a message to the people of these provinces now annexed to Yugoslavia, Rumania or "Czechoslovakia" that they are "stuck to our post like the Roman eagle and if necessary take the oath of allegiance."

When these refugees first began to arrive in what is now Hungary they were received with all the warm sympathy and kindness which misfortune evokes. Soon, however, the increasing stream of homeless, penniless refugees caused a serious housing and food crisis in Budapest, besides adding a heavy item to the already insupportable financial burden of the state.

No rooms were available and the refugees were accommodated in railway cars. Forty-five hundred cars already are occupied in this manner and a large number of these cars has grown up near the railway station, with its

own streets, clergymen, physicians and stores.

Now the government has been compelled to sacrifice both patriotism and charity and ask the refugees to stay home, even though their home is under a foreign flag.

German Civil Service Workers Want Raise

HAMBURG, Dec. 21.—Ten thousand civil service employees here have unanimously adopted a petition to the Berlin government for wage increases amounting to 20 per cent, dating from October 1, for a minimum salary of 7000 marks a year and 100 per cent increase in family allowances.

All other German government employees have been urged to unite and force the granting of the demands by a strike if necessary.

The petition says that the need is urgent not only for an increase of salaries but for a general revision by the government of the cost of living which is ending the nation's economic existence.

"We find ourselves in the predicament where we must either have government aid or try to endure the impossible living conditions," the petition states.

The Civil Service Employees' League has several millions of members.

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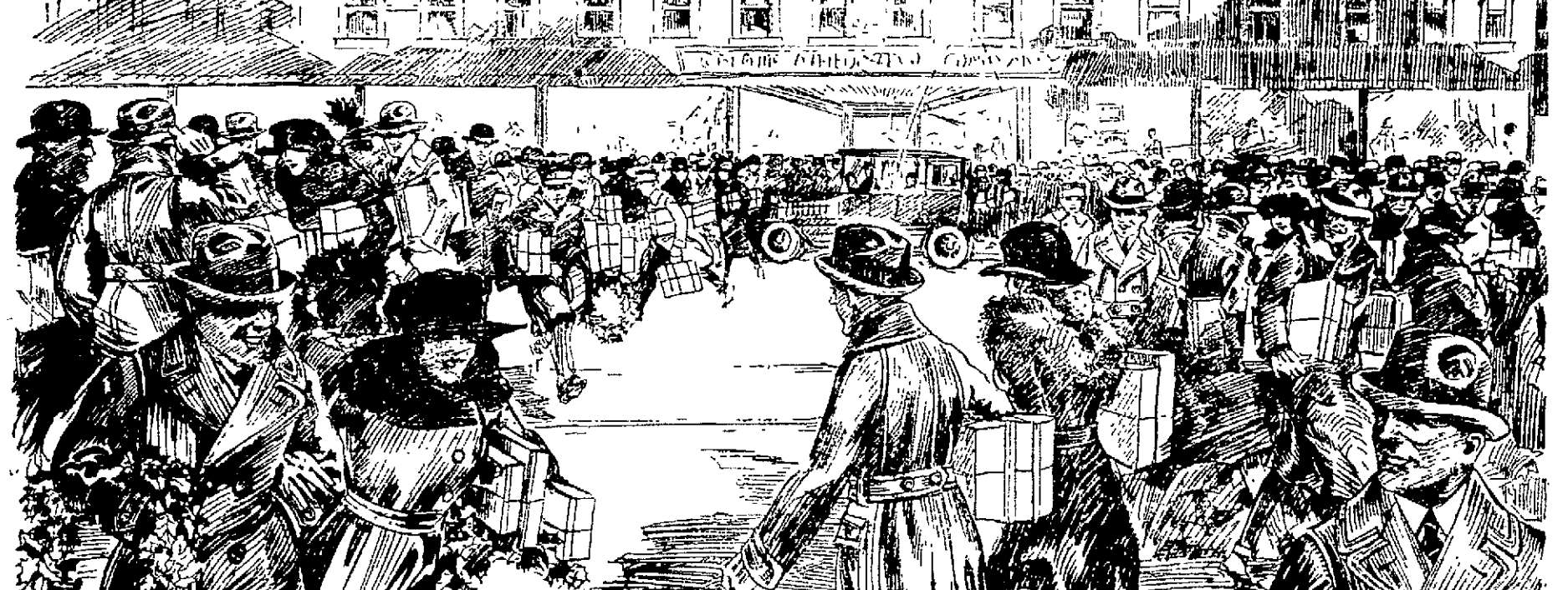
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14c	9c	6c
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MEN'S GENUINE HICKORY WORK SHIRTS

Full cut, extra heavy, double yoke, all sizes; limit 2 per customer—

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Imported Mechanical Fire Engine... \$1.89

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Imported Mechanical Ocean Liner... \$1.59

Shoo-Fly... \$2.23 to \$4.20

Trot-Trot Mechanical Horse and Cart... 39c

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Genuine Pensive Sitting Kewpie Dolls 15c

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Come in assorted sizes. Pair... 25c

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Come in high grade gingham, percale and chambray; full cut; values to \$2.00... \$1

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Of heavy Denim; full cut; assorted sizes; trimmed in red. Sale price, 69c

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Are of heavy Denim. Sizes 7 to 12... 89c

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Men's Derby Ribbed Underwear, winter weight; shirts and drawers. Sale price, garment... 75c

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Men's Genuine Bates Dress Shoes

In black and tan; English and blucher; all sizes. On sale at, per pair

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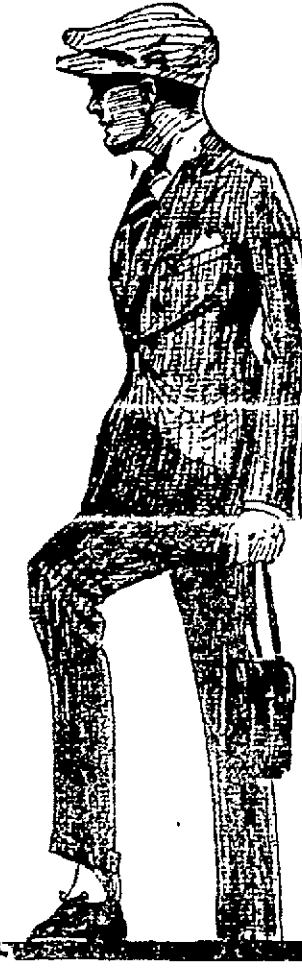
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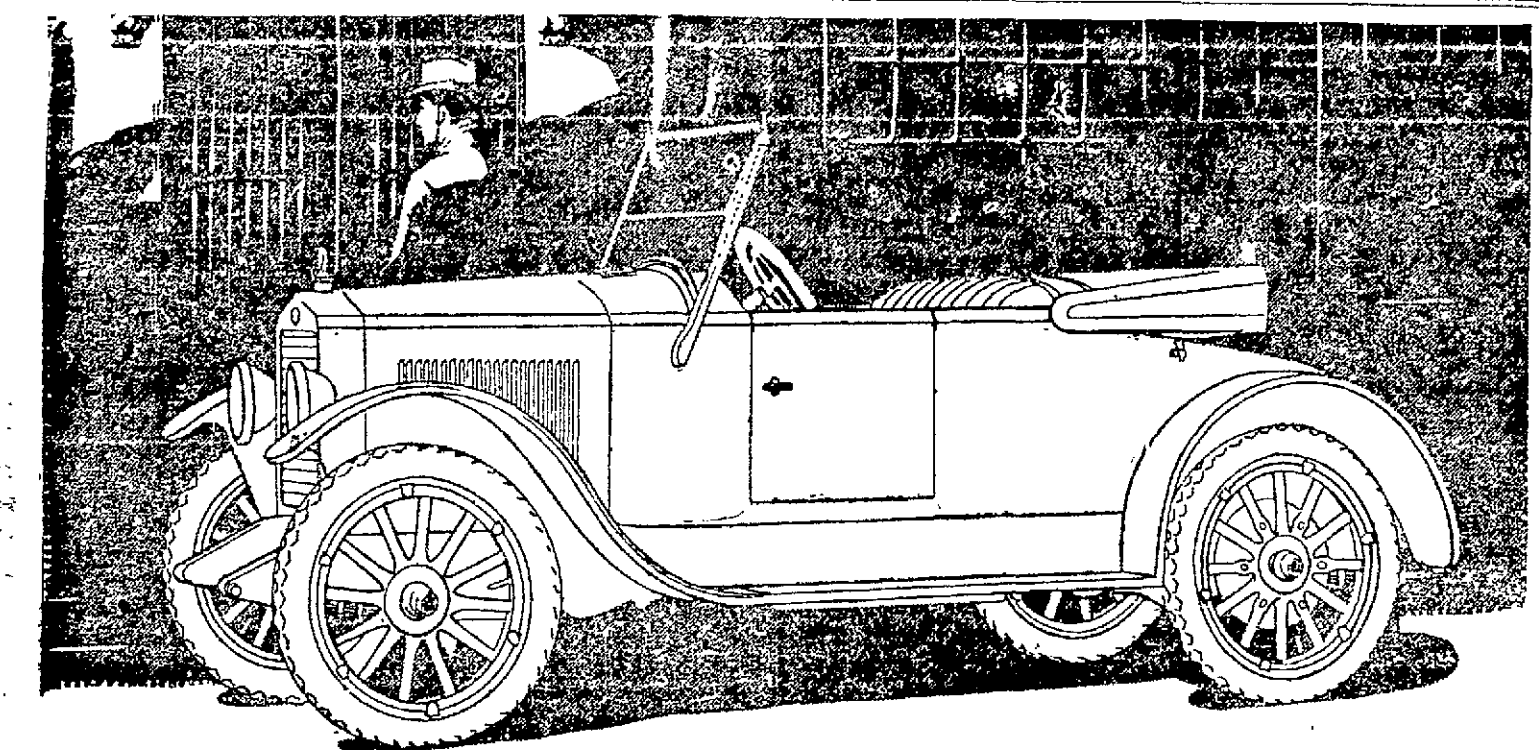
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Just a few Essex economy records, made in a week of nation-wide tests, in which many owners participated, setting marks that have rarely been equalled.

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Conditions of Working Women To Be Studied

By EDNA B. KINNARD.

Research to determine positions open to women in the San Francisco Bay region is to be launched by the new year. The survey which will be made at the University of California is being inaugurated at the special request of the California branch of the Association of Collegiate Alumnae. The work will be minute and comprehensive and undertaken as a part of the study in Vocational Opportunities for College Women. Careful attention will be given to the resume to the requirements for each position listed and the preliminary training necessary to secure it. A series of lectures, hours, conditions, etc. The first meeting of the special section is announced for Thursday evening, January 13, at 7:30 o'clock in Room 111, Doe Library building. Membership will be limited to 25. A special lecture on the subject of vocational education also is announced. Miss Margaret Garvin, at the University of California is furnishing all the information to be interesting in the practical research.

The California Congress of Mothers will not reconsider its vote to withdraw from the National Congress of Mothers according to a decision of the executive board last week, held at the home of the president, Mrs. Harry Ewing in San Jose. A communication from the second discussion of the question. The officers and department chairmen failed to accept a reconsideration vote.

Mrs. H. G. Tardy of Oakland, president of second district, California Congress of Mothers, was appointed to the committee for National Child Welfare Day to be observed on Thursday, February 17.

COUNTY FEDERATIONS TO BE DISCUSSED

County federations which are engaging the attention of the California Federation, will be discussed at length and illustrated with the several auxiliaries within Alameda district by Mrs. C. H. Mitchell of Oakland, district publicity chairman. In the coming issues of the clubwomen, San Joaquin county will lend the theme to the next issue, with Contra Costa to follow. Perhaps Alameda county will have perfected its organization in time to inspire the third in the series of reviews. The official organ is being offered to clubwomen at special rates.

Real plum puddings are to decorate the Christmas table at the California Girls' Training Home because of the Lakeview Woman's Club. A half-hundred of the famous old English puddings are being sent Alameda ward along with a great gift-pack which has not forgotten a single young girl in the big institution. The puddings have been made by the club president, Mrs. W. W. Pabson and are her particular gift in the name of her organization to the home. The gifts including a library of phonograph records are the united remembrances from the members.

Gay hair ribbons, generous as to widths and lengths, dainty little accessories for the toilet table, things that all girls desire because they are not necessary but contribute to that feeling of well being and self-expression, are a part of the gift.

MRS. FREDERICK J. McMATH, who is often a hostess at the Country Club for different groups of friends.



—Doye Portrait.

SANITATION IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS

A partial survey of the conditions of the public school buildings with reference to sanitation, ventilation, accommodations for rainy days, luncheon facilities, and playgrounds, has been made by the municipal committee of Oakland City Center, through its chairman Mrs. Jessie Wood Gustafson. The investigation was undertaken following charges that many of the schools were in bad condition. The report will probably be presented at a meeting of the organization next month.

As an initial appropriation to open and maintain headquarters in Sacramento during the January session of the Legislature the Women's Legislative Council of California has voted \$200. Mrs. A. J. Lawton of Santa Ana, president, will probably direct the campaign on behalf of the three bills sponsored by the council to be presented to the law making body next month. The organized women of California are supporting a community property measure at the third consecutive session. An adjustment between the age at which state aid shall cease and the compulsory educational laws become effective will be attempted.

Peru Places Order For 50,000 Rifles

GENEVA, Dec. 21.—Herr Sahm, president of the city of Danzig council, has notified the League of Nations that Peru has ordered 50,000 rifles at a Danzig arms factory. He asks the league if the filling of such orders is in violation of the Versailles treaty.

New Year Parties Planned at Del Monte

Christmas and New Year's will lure a number of Eastbay folk to Del Monte for the holidays. Christmas Eve there will be the old-time celebration with a ball game, the appearance of Santa Claus and an added diversion a tennis tournament for the boys and girls and a competition for men and women.

For New Year's dinner several groups will motor south from here. Aside from the big dinner which there will be a three-day tour, received from a number of California's best players. Among those who will celebrate the New Year at the resort are Mr. and Mrs. Louis Fitzerald, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Cloutier, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel G. Volamann, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Cloutier, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Merrill, Mr. and Mrs. C. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas W. Laker, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Kinnard, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin A. Kales, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Pavliss, Mr. and Mrs. William H. Huth, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hirschacker, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Leimert, Mr. and Mrs. L. Worden, and many from San Francisco and the peninsula.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cloutier will have the family gathering on Christmas Day at their home in the Lakeside district including Miss Mona Cloutier and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fitzerald and their family.

At high noon today the marriage of Miss Margaret Wilson and Wilson Meyer of San Francisco took place at the home of Mrs. Mary E. Wilson, aunt of the bride, in Berkeley. Plans for a large wedding were dispensed with owing to a recent bereavement in the bride's family, and the service

was read before a group of the closest relatives and friends. The bride is a graduate of the University of California. Wilson Meyer is a son of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. C. Meyer of San Francisco.

A simple home wedding was celebrated in Berkeley Saturday evening, when Miss Marjorie Le May and A. Wilson Robb were married by Rev. Samuel Patterson, former pastor of North Congregational church, at the home of the bride's aunt, Mrs. Robert May of this city.

Robb is a son of Mrs. P. S. Robb. Mrs. Flora Burr attended the bride, and Ralph Hall was best man.

Only close friends and relatives witnessed the ceremony. The bride and groom left on a motor trip, after which they will make their home in Berkeley.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Case and their children arrived from Seattle to spend the holidays with their mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Case.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Oliver will be hosts New Year's eve at a dinner at the Claremont Country Club and a score of the younger married set will be guests.

Mrs. Robert Fitzgerald entertained yesterday for half a hundred of the school set at tea in honor of her daughter, Miss Elanor Fitzgerald. Miss Fitzgerald is a student of Miss Hanson, and many of her classmates were guests.

IN SACRAMENTO FOR HOLIDAYS

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Jackson and their daughter, Miss Grace Jackson, of College Avenue have gone to Sacramento, where they will spend the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Porter McLaughlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hamilton Hart are now in Venice, and will spend Christmas in Rome. They have spent the past month in traveling through Italy.

Suggestions for Men's Christmas Gifts

HERE are a few highly acceptable gifts for men. They are gifts that will please.

Eversharp Pencils in silver, gold filled and gold. Useful—pleasing. Priced from \$1.50 to \$4.00.

Cigarette Holders in amber and ivory. Priced from \$4.50 up.

Cuff Links—unusual designs—in enameled silver, gold filled, gold and platinum. Prices range from \$2.50 to \$45.

Scarf Pins in many styles. Priced from \$2.50 up.

Belt Buckles in exceptionally heavy sterling silver. Priced from \$2.75 up.

Watch Chain Knives in plain and carved designs—in filled and solid gold. Priced from \$2.50 to \$25.

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FACING A DEFICIT.

It is estimated by the State Controller that the expenses of the State government for the next biennial period, for which the coming session of the legislature must make provision, will be between \$80,000,000 and \$90,000,000. This is at the rate of from \$40,000,000 to \$45,000,000 annually.

This is four times the cost of the State government twelve years ago. In the last ten years, according to the Controller, the wealth of the State has increased only 60 percent and the population 44 percent.

Thus we have taken on expenses and imposed taxation at a greater rate than marks the progress in any other phase of the commonwealth's life. The main reason for this is that the State has assumed so many new burdens of government. That any of these burdens may be dropped now without provoking general public protest is for the legislature and the governor's advisors to ascertain within the next few weeks. But in any event the fact that governmental costs and taxation proves so large an increase is a very serious matter.

As the Controller says, a deficit of some \$20,000,000 is faced. The revenues for the next two fiscal years, at present rates of and from existing sources of taxation, will be about \$60,000,000. There will be a surplus on July 1 of about \$6,000,000. If the financial program of the government, as it at present looms, with all its new projects of spending, is put through, some means of meeting the deficit must be devised.

But it might be possible to permit one year to pass without increasing the cost of government. Expenses have been growing rapidly and without intermission for twelve years now—the habit apparently has developed—and a kind of sabbatical vacation might not be out of place. Furthermore, the tendency and the crying need is for reduction of costs all along the line, and the State government would be setting a good example, as well as adapting itself to the spirit of economy, if it managed to get along on the same amount appropriated for the fiscal period drawing to a close.

There has been much complaint, and all justified, against the extravagance of the national government and a popular demand for the reduction of federal taxation. Some of the gentlemen holding position of influence in the State administration have joined in this chorus. A little of their own medicine may not please their palate, but it would delight the people to see them take it.

The public interest demands economy. The government must practice economy. In a political campaign not wholly forgotten there was appointed, for the political capital it would furnish, an efficiency and economy commission. The report of this commission was transmitted by Governor Stephens shortly after it was presented. Now is a good time to exhume it and consider some of its many sound and practical recommendations.

GREECE RESTORES A KING.

King Constantine of Greece, who was exiled to Switzerland for his pro-Germanism during the war, has been received in Athens with great demonstrations of joy and enthusiasm. The people in a popular election expressed a desire for his return and rendered a verdict against the proposal for a republic. Venizelos, the man who in the brief four years of his premiership did more toward the recovery of the former territory, hegemony and prestige of Greece than any other man during the last five hundred years, was repudiated by the people.

There is an old saying that persons should be permitted to lie in the bed they make for themselves. This is hardly a safe rule. In every country there are laws to protect people against their own ignorance—the laws against medical quacks and get-rich-quick "financiers." But a law to protect a nation against its folly is impracticable. So it only remains to wish Greece success with her restored monarch just as heartily as felicitations would have been extended had the Greek people elected to go ahead with the program Venizelos had started for them.

The Allied nations of Europe are not pleased with the return of Constantine. They would not care particularly if it were not for their fear that he may interfere with the necessary scheme

to insure the rest of Europe against future aggression from Germany and Turkey. What policy toward Greece they now will adopt remains to be seen, but certainly it should include protection against any treachery in Athens or any bargaining between Constantine and the former enemies of the Allies.

Aside from this precaution, the Greek people should be permitted the government they want. They have chosen a king who stood with the most wicked and barbarous effort that ever afflicted humanity. They must abide the consequences.

THE GREAT FARMING BUSINESS.

Although the harvest of the farm crops for 1920 was the most abundant in the country's history, with all previous records broken for half a dozen crops, the value of the farm products show a decrease, compared with the value of the 1919 crops, of nearly five billion dollars. This emphasizes two things: First, the magnitude of soil products of the United States, on which a slight change in commodity prices results in an immense change in the total value, and second, the considerable reduction in commodity prices, to the producers, during 1920.

The total value of the farm crops this year is estimated by the Department of Commerce at \$9,148,113,000. Last year the crops were worth \$14,687,995,000. The loss in value is over thirty-five percent.

Yet, in the words of the Department of Agriculture, the harvests proved to be the most abundant in history, notwithstanding beginnings about as unpromising as ever known. As an example of the manner in which crops improved during the season, the final returns on winter and spring wheat show a harvest of 790,000,000 bushels, or nearly 40,000,000 bushels more than earlier forecasts by the Department.

The yield of corn per acre set a new record this year, with an average production of 30.9 bushels. Only once before has the average yield per acre exceeded 30 bushels and that was in 1906, when the yield was 30.2 bushels. The total corn crop was a record one, being 3,232,237,000 bushels. Although this is 374,000,000 bushels more than last year, the value is less than last year's crop by \$1,662,000,000. Still the 1920 corn yield is worth \$2,190,000,000 and corn this year is the most valuable crop produced.

Besides corn, the wheat crop this year is worth \$1,140,000,000. Over one and a half billion bushels of oats were produced, worth \$720,000,000; 202 million bushels of barley, 439 million bushels of potatoes, over 108 million tons of hay, worth \$1,809,000,000; one and one-half billion pounds of tobacco, 13 million bales of cotton worth \$1,000,000,000; over two and one-half billion pounds of beet and cane sugar; beans, sweet potatoes, rye, barley, rice, peanuts and fruits in large quantities.

These figures do not include the livestock and wool production, which will add about as many more billions of dollars to the receipts of the producer. In the livestock industry prices also have declined and the quantity of hogs and sheep produced has been less than in 1919. Both livestock and wool production, now in a marked slump, need encouragement.

There are times when city dwellers are impatient and censure the farmer as being a perennial bleaker who is never satisfied. But it is well to bear in mind that agriculture is a business of great magnitude and adverse conditions have a deep and sweeping effect.

AMERICA'S ARTILLERY.

Welcomed, indeed, in 1917, would have been the assurance that the United States possessed an adequate supply of modern artillery. In 1920, such an assurance provides but scant comfort.

General Snow's report constitutes a severe arraignment of our pre-war policy of unpreparedness. That policy had deplorable results. In many cases, tragic results. There were no guns for training purposes at some of our military posts. All sorts of expedients had to be resorted to by the artillery officers charged with the solemn responsibility of preparing their men to combat across the Atlantic with a foe who had succeeded in perfecting the science of the use of artillery in modern warfare. The conditions to which our men were forced would be ridiculous did the conditions under which they were used not render the training wooden guns were improved in some of cases. Home-made harnesses were employed. Prudence and harness was as often as not lacking.

The rank and file of the artillery regiments clamored for the return of the old guns. In the United States, but only in isolated instances was it possible to give the recruits in the United States a glimpse of the more sufficient guns for training purposes. The policy of unpreparedness had made impossible the erection of a reserve supply of artillery material. The facts brought out in General Snow's report have been known to every officer who served with artillery units in the United States during the period of their initial training.

Preparedness for war, indeed, is always worth many times what it costs in money. A dozen or more factors make up national preparedness. Of these certainly one of the most important is that we should have on hand enough artillery to supply a mobile army of several millions. We now have such a supply, according to the testimony of General Snow. Let us resolve to keep our artillery arm always well stocked in future with the best weapons that the artillery can devise.

Boston Transcript.

NOTES and COMMENT

For several years the migration from the United States to Canada was so considerable as to attract attention. It was understood to be due to the advertised possibility of obtaining cheap lands. Now the trend is back again. The severe climate and lack of manufactures, together with the superior facilities from the home way more than offset any advantage to be realized from cheap land.

Two events are reported that may do something to discourage selling land to or among Hindus. A bank at Gridley has closed its doors, the cause given being loans to Hindu rice farmers, and a court decision has been rendered in Yuba to the effect that a broker cannot recover a commission for selling land to Hindus.

Oregon has been watching things hereabouts, it might be assumed, as he has started in to clean up Mexico. The starting point is Tijuana, which is certainly a very definite "law." Every gambling game in that American Monte Carlo except horse racing has been shut down, and the horse racing that is permitted, it is presumed, is to be of the deodorized kind that will not be attractive to the clientele that is in the habit of resorting just over the border.

It is not a violent assumption that the outbreak at Manila is a result of the agitation that has been going on for the complete and immediate independence of the Philippines. The agents do not get to the heart of the occurrence sufficiently to indicate exactly how it is, but that there was a clash in which four Americans were shot by native constabulary is warrant for this partial conclusion.

The average boy can be relied on to be right up in front when anything happens, but that he should be so much in evidence as to be run over by two automobiles in quick succession is an unfortunate record. Such a case is one of the Sunday incidents of the neighboring city.

Japan's census of over 77,000,000 explains again the restlessness of that over-peopled land and the recurring effort to get possession of new countries for its swarming population. A land nowhere near as large and not naturally as productive of essentials as Texas is certainly crowded with that many people, even living as many of them do.

Withdrawal of American troops from Germany is not at present being considered, as we are informed by a dispatch. How it will be considered in the near future—say after the next election—no one can tell. Presently no liberty is being taken with the future in this connection.

It is never so dark to a person but a situation may be conceived that would be darker. It had come about that "Spud" Murphy had joined that division of the gang that sought refuge in Santa Rosa he would have had a rougher experience than he has had or is likely to have as it is.

The Greeks have acclaimed their king, and to appearances are enjoying the situation immensely. The awakening is not so likely to come in the clash of arms as in an economic pressure through objections withholding commercial support. That cannot be met in battle, which the Greeks seem ever ready to give.

SPIRIT of the STATE PRESS

That youngster who was ousted from a fraternity house in Berkeley because he refused to uphold its traditions by shining shoes, cutting lawns and otherwise acting as a flunky, as a freshman is expected to do, will have the approval of all his fellows who were in the service. He was an overgrown veteran, but he had 22 years of experience and nobody could tell a fellow to take kindly to two doses of the same kind of medicine.—Stockton Record.

The sheep and cattle industry of California radiates from Red Bluff. T. H. Ramsey is president of the California Cattlemen's Association, while Fred A. Ellenwood is president of the California Wool Growers' Association. We have a few more examples of their respective lines. If state organizations are in need of competent heads.—Red Bluff News.

The suggestion that a fund be raised for a monument to Sheriff James A. Petray is a good one, and ought to be carried out. Sheriff Petray gave his life for the principle of law and order. He met his death as a hero and a martyr. The fund of one hundred dollars is the present goal for the fund. The fund is being raised by the sale of stamps. The fund is being raised by the sale of stamps. The fund is being raised by the sale of stamps.

The 5000 or more employees of the Mare Island Navy Yard are to be paid for a full day's work on Christmas and New Year's. Orders were issued today to pay the men and women for each hour's work on the two holidays. The men and women are to be paid for each hour's work on the two holidays. The men and women are to be paid for each hour's work on the two holidays.

Indicators point to a large crop of gold at Red Bluff, Oregon, and a large amount of gold is being mined there. The gold is being mined there. The gold is being mined there. The gold is being mined there. The gold is being mined there. The gold is being mined there. The gold is being mined there. The gold is being mined there. The gold is being mined there. The gold is being mined there.

Work has been completed on the repairing of the inter-city tunnel and regular traffic resumed. The repairs were necessitated by the interior walls of the tunnel giving way. In a few years, City Surveyor Arnold states, it will be necessary to reinforce the entire tunnel with concrete.—Martinez Gazette.

NOT GOOD ENOUGH FOR OAKLAND

PROGRESSIVE OAKLAND

CITY OF LURE

Rio de Janeiro, first of the three South American capitals to be visited by Secretary Colby on his journey of courtesy to our neighboring continent, is described as follows in a communication from Chalmers Adams to the National Geographic Society:

"This city of lure terraces up from a glorious bay—the Bay of Guanabara, mountain-encircled, isle-bewitched. From the shore, where parks and boulevards are fast spreading out the old Rio of narrow streets, rise the forested hills on whose slopes the lovelier portion of the city lies. Place your hands on the table, fingers spread, wrists upraised. Each finger represents one of Rio's hills; each space between a canyon up which the city climbs.

"Many of the new homes cling to the hillside below the streets and are entered from the roof. Others of these cliff dwellings perch high above the thoroughfare and are reached by a long flight of steps or by elevator on an inclined plane. Some bear the name of the lady of the manor over the front door. 'Villa Rosta,' 'Villa Lucia' and 'dark-eyed lady herself is often leaning from the window.

"Can any other city offer such a tracing of vistas as those from a mountain heights of Rio? I have traveled far and have yet to find it. Turning backward, we look down through a frame of tangled vines and branches, on to the town tops on the sloping virgin forest. A scarlet-winged bird flies to a nearby tree; a big blue butterfly flutters lazily by. There are purple orchids within reach and waxen begonias at our feet. Far below, set in verdure, looms the knobby-top city, with its crescent shores.

"The bay, set in its amphitheater of steep hills, is a picture of peace and beauty. To and from among the ships at anchor ply the busy paddle-wheel ferry boats to the islands and to Niteroi, the little sister city across the way. In the distance tower the spires of the lofty Organ Mountains. Today we can see the sharp peak called 'The Finger of God,' often it is veiled in mist.

"Somewhere we look down on a granite granite mountain rising sheer from the sea. There is bulgy, belated, and flat-topped Gavea, like a giant and unafraid. Between them the Rio's suburban beaches—Leme, Copacabana, Botafogo, Leblon are a gleaming chain, their white villas reaching to waves, hill and shore. The Avenida Marchetti, which connects them, is bounded only by boulevards along the Mediterranean.

"Venice Rio Brazil, that finest of shorefronts, is more than a mile in length and so wide that it consists of two distinct boulevards separated by a row of shade trees. It is thronged day and night with automobiles. The sidewalks, the widest I have ever seen, are black-and-white checkered in mosaic design, like those in Venice in Lisbon. Both shores and walkways were brought from Portugal, but similar pavements, constructed later in other parts of the city, are 'faded'.

"At the cinema theaters the people of Rio de Janeiro know real comfort. Unlike our moving-picture houses, these in Rio have no stage waiting to pass, where you sit, listening to excellent music, until the hour for the first reel comes round.

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WHAT'S DOING TO-NIGHT

Civil Service Board meets, City Hall.
Merchants' Exchange meets, W. B. A. Macomber holds Christmas party, Alameda hall.
Ladies of A. O. U. meet, Spanish Center meets, Alden Library.
Spanish War Veterans give dance, Young Ladies' Club, 1500 Broadway.
Daughters of Isabella hold whist party, K. of C. hall.
American Legion gives Christmas jinks, Moose hall, Alameda.
"Allegory in Wonderland," presented, Auditorium, 724.
Orpheum—Vaudeville.
Fulton—A Full House.
Panthea—Carnival of Venice.
Columbia—in Terland.
Ye Liberty—Lester Lester.
State—The Great Redeemer.
American—Blanche Sweet.
Kinema—Bill Hart.
Franklin—Bryant Washburn.
T. & D.—Oliver Thomas.
Broadway—Pauline Frederick.
Arcadia—Dancing.
Lake Merritt—Boating.

WHAT'S DOING TOMORROW

Piedmont Native Daughters' whist party, S. L. C. hall, evening.
Polish Christmas tree, evening.
Ladies' Christmas tree, Marquee, then at 2:30 p. m.
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about YOUR HEALTH

How to Give Self-Aid
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By ROYAL S. COPELAND,
M. D., F. A. C. S.
Commissioner of Health, N. Y. City

A sprained ankle is one of the very painful possibilities to any one. It may result from a fall, or from a sudden twist of the foot. It is a condition which is not at all self-curable. To get home is the first essential. Next, you should apply cold compresses until the pain has ceased and you are satisfied there will be no great swelling of the part.

If cold applications do not relieve the pain, you should try hot water compresses.

Then bandage the foot. Beginning at the toes, gradually wrap the foot, ankle and lower part of the leg. This bandage should be left in place until you can provide yourself with adhesive plaster.

Cut strips of adhesive plaster or tape about half an inch wide. Beginning at the great toe, apply the adhesive around the edge of the foot, back of the heel, and across the top of the foot to the place of beginning. Start the next strip a little above the first, but overlapping it. Continue till the foot is covered.

Now, carry a strip from one side of the ankle, under the heel, to the opposite side of the ankle. Overlap this with another strip and continue till the foot is covered.

This arrangement, covering the foot and ankle, thoroughly supports it. You may not be able to walk on the foot, but, anyhow, you will be comfortable.

After the pain, tenderness and swelling have disappeared, the part should be massaged and exercised carefully.

An injury to the knee or to some other joint may cause great pain. If in the knee, it is almost impossible to bend the leg. Every effort to walk is painful.

Under these circumstances the joint should be "fixed." That is, it should be so dressed that it cannot be bent. It may be covered with a layer of cotton to protect the skin, then firmly bandaged from the ankle to some distance above the knee.

In all injuries, such as sprains or damage to the joints, or in any case where it is possible that a bone has been fractured or splintered, an X-ray picture should be taken.

Every properly equipped dispensary has an X-ray machine, and if you are poor, will gladly examine you free of charge without cost. Otherwise, your doctor, if he has not the equipment in his own office, will send you to some specialist in this line.

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MRS. CLARK TO BARE SECRETS OF HER PAST LIFE

Court Ruling Opens Way to
Prosecution to Open New
Evidence

In objecting to a question in cross-examination this morning, Attorney C. A. A. McGee admitted that Virginia P. Clark, confessed slayer of her husband, is not now insane and that his case depends upon proving that she was insane only at the instant that Chester P. Clark was shot to death.

The defense suffered a hard blow just before the noon adjournment when Judge Quinn ruled that the prosecution could go into the past life of the accused in cross-examination for the purpose of showing that she had led an immoral and dissolute life.

Testifying that she went blind in 1914, before the woman lived in Springfield, Mass., Mrs. Clark said that she was going to meet a "man from Quebec" whose name she did not know. When Shay attempted to examine her as to her relations with this man, McGee objected.

The ruling came when Deputy District Attorney Frank M. Shay was asking questions concerning Mrs. Clark's various occupations and her comings and goings after a former husband had been sent to jail and she had placed her baby in an institution.

Shay had her tell that her husband on one occasion almost caught her while she was rambling around the house with a revolver in her hands and that she backed confusedly into a bedroom and hid the weapon when he entered the house.

MRS. CLARK HAD
HER ALL NIGHT
"I made him hug me tight that night," she said. "I made him keep me in his arms all night. He wanted to have a divorce because I was so scared. I didn't want a doctor."

She also told of shooting to spare a negro while she was living alone in Norfolk, Va. She said at this time she was working in a loan agency in the daytime and teaching dancing at night.

Testimony concerning a \$1000 insurance policy made out by Chester Clark in favor of his wife shortly before he was slain August 15, was introduced into the record over the vigorous objection of Defense Attorney C. A. A. McGee.

"To establish a motive, your honor, was the expansion of the district attorney," McGee said. "Admittedly she had 'shot dead' to the police officers, she said: 'I knew when the time came I could get up and spit out the truth. In the meantime I wouldn't be bothered and bothered to death.'"

Mrs. Clark, under cross-examination said that she married Clark without obtaining a divorce from Frank C. Roach, ex-convict, and father of her two children. She said Roach had told her their marriage was illegal and that she had never investigated.

In an effort to show that Mrs. Clark's mental condition was normal, Shay questioned her concerning the time she left Norfolk, Virginia, and she told how she went to Baltimore, to New York and to Hartford, Conn. She recounted the name of the minister who performed the marriage ceremony with Roach or De Roach.

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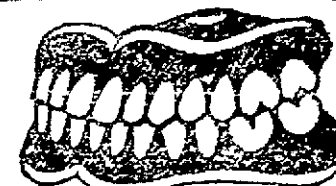
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Colored embroidery, six in a box, \$1.00.

Pure linen embroidery, Appenzel effect, three in a box, \$2.75 to \$3.75 the box; six in a box, \$6.00 to \$7.50 the box.

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Dear poor soul, how do you wish I could help you! I'm going to give you some advice which may seem very cold but which is truly the best I know, and full of a big one. You have a man who can do what a woman in raving, in going, in eating heavy caterpillars or something rather ugly and sully and less than. He might justify her getting good and angry and taking determined action of some sort to alter her life—but raving doesn't help anyone.

Do not think we have any right to make our own happiness so dependent on another person's treatment of us that we must be neglected as we are. We might be very sad over their neglect, but it's really selfish and narrow to control all your interests on the person of another. For when the world is filled with a thousand calls for your affection and interest, I would FORCE MYSELF to take an interest in other things—and to find joy in other things.

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SAILORS HEAVE ROCKS IN FEUD

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 21.—One member of the crew of the U. S. S. Wyand, is seriously hurt and five others of the Wyand and U. S. S. Texas were injured in a street fight last night. Albert Webb has been removed to the naval hospital at Mare Island. He is suffering from a fractured skull and other injuries. Clayton McClellan and Robert Bacon of the Texas and Theodore Risch of the Wyand, have been returned to their ships. They were treated last night at the Central Emergency Hospital.

The subject matter of the fight occurred in the company of Risch and Clara Risch. According to the story which some of the men later told, they had been drinking. The fight occurred when the ship arrived Webb and McClellan were lying unconscious in the street. The four men less seriously injured declare they do not recall what took place, and expressed surprise when they awoke in a hospital ward.

The fight started when Risch, on duty in Seattle, arrested Bacon on a charge of drunkenness.

TEXAS SENDS BROOMS ALOFT; SMASHED GALE

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 21.—The U. S. S. Texas, one of the super-dreadnoughts of the Pacific fleet, is anchored in San Francisco today after a record dash which brought the battleship into San Francisco harbor yesterday after twenty-four hours after the war vessel steamed out of Puget Sound.

In the face of a terrific gale the Texas plowed its way along the storm-swept Pacific Coast at a speed of nineteen knots an hour for twenty hours. Then making a final spurt, the big cruiser attained a speed of 21 knots an hour, the maximum speed of this type of warship, and maintained it for four consecutive hours, arriving here with a 100 per cent efficiency record for an endurance run.

Waxing of Deck Is Denied By Matson Co.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 21.—Neither cornmeal nor wax was used to "dress down" the decks of the liner Maui, according to an answer filed today in the Superior court here by the Matson Navigation company to the suit of Daniel F. Regan and Abbie Regan, of Niles, for \$552 damages.

The complaint in the case recites that on January 12, while at sea, Mrs. Regan slipped on the Maui's deck and fractured her right wrist. The vessel was coming from Honolulu and there had been a dance shortly before on the liner's deck. The plaintiffs charge that the company's officers were negligent in failing to sand the deck or spread a canvas over it after having had the deck waxed or sprinkled with cornmeal.

LODGE TO PLAY SANTA
Paramount Lodge No. 17, Knights of Pythias, will have Christmas trees for little folk and grown ups tomorrow evening. While waiting for Santa Claus to arrive with his sacks of good things for the children, a short entertainment will be given. The evening will be devoted to dancing.

LOGGERS' WAGES CUT
PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 21.—By a vote of 15 to 9 the board of directors of the Local Union of Loggers and Lumbermen for Oregon at a meeting here voted a cut in the minimum wage of workmen of the legion of 50 cents a day. The new minimum wage will be \$3.69.

MURDERER CONVICTED
CAMDEN, N. J., Dec. 21.—Frank J. James was convicted by a jury of murder in the first degree in connection with the killing of David S. Paul, Camden bank messenger. The verdict was without any recommendation for mercy.

DIVERS' DUTIES
A Japanese fisheries expert will study the waters of Peru with a view of determining the extent of their products and the best methods of increasing them.

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BLUE BIRD BUREAU OF THE TRIBUNE

POSITIVELY, kiddies, no more letters can be received from you by Blue Bird. There are more applications in now than Goodfellows, so your letters cannot be taken care of.

Hardship and poverty have so large a part in the every day life of some small children right in our midst that toys and playthings even of the cheapest kind appear to have become beyond the ken of their wildest dreams.

The Bluebird Bureau has received with its morning mail another batch of letters from children.

The Bluebird Bureau has come to think of as being necessary ingredients of a happy Christmas. No—rather read:

"The boys like neckties" scrawls one, "and stockings and dresses. We all love Santa Claus, so Good By, Papa, but not so work."

There is not the only little one who has turned to the Bluebird Bureau to find her Santa Claus for the letter in this way. "Please excuse this paper I had not so better."

These little children do not ask for dolls or Teddy bears or trains or work of bringing joy to the children games or any of the things which

than the Goodfellows, unless we see more of the letter in the few days still remaining before Christmas. Here is another of the little letters:

"Dear Bluebird,
I am writing you this letter to let you know that I am well and hoping you are the same. Dear Sir, Will you please send us some toys to play and something to eat. Manuel is 12—Teny is 15—Charles is 10—Helen is 9. Dear Sir,
My mother broke her leg and it is very hard for her to read. Knowledge is working in the house.
Yours sincerely,"

There are others but these are enough for today. With every mail comes more of the touching little appeals to know what great opportunity there is to prove that for Goodfellows in giving there lies Christmas' greatest joy.

It became necessary several days ago for the Bluebird Bureau to announce that it could receive no more letters—but they come in anyway. The children have heard that there are Goodfellows in the city and in their poverty-stricken world they are afraid that Santa Claus will forget them unless they make themselves heard.

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K. A. VICTORIA	New York to London and Glasgow	Jan 15	Feb 19
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SATURNIA	New York to Plymouth, Cherbourg & Hamburg	Jan 15	Feb 19
CARONIA	Mediterranean Cruise with Shore Excursions	Jan 15	—
IMPERATOR	New York to Cherbourg and Southampton	Jan 20	Feb 19
CARMANIA	New York to Liverpool	Jan 22	Feb 19
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AQUITANIA	New York to Cherbourg and Southampton	Jan 25	Feb 22
ALBANIA (new)	New York to Plymouth, Cherbourg and London	Feb 1	Mar 15
CASSANDRA	New York to Liverpool	Feb 1	—
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CIVIL SERVICE FOR MEXICO TO MEET OPPOSITION

MEXICO CITY, Mexico, Dec. 21.—Practically the last official act of General Salvador Alvarado, secretary of the treasury under Provisional President Adolfo de la Huerta, was to propose a civil service law for Mexico.

While it is generally admitted that civil service regularities similar to those in the United States would be a good thing for Mexico, the Alvarado proposal will probably meet with strong opposition among politicians. In Mexico the old political machine, "To the victors belong the spoils," has wide approval. Politicians will be sure to sweep offices clean and put in their partisans.

This system of driving out the defeated, down to the holder of the least important job, has been the cause of much bloodshed recently. Many of the trouble-makers have been men who have been spoiled by a few fat years in public service. Such men, in Mexico, are as a rule anxious to return to the land work and long hours of their old occupations.

The chief barrier to reconstruction in Mexico at present, it is said, is the unwillingness of former rulers to settle down to work. The May revolution drove numbers of Carranzistas from public posts. Reorganization of state government has added to this through the Carranzistas, the main part of the restless, menacing element in Mexico.

These men, who have tasted the ease and shared the "graft" of official life, find it difficult to turn to the whippersnappers of the new government.

Practically every man in the Carranzista plot, it is said, formerly held some military or civil office.

ALUM ROCK ROAD NEAR COMPLETION

SAN JOSE, Dec. 21.—The paving of Alum Rock road, which gives the whole east side of the valley access to San Jose, will be completed within sixty days on the opinion of County Engineer I. L. Ryder, discussing the project today. The work is being done under the day work plan with equipment furnished by the county. The county engineer is now drawing plans for reinforced concrete bridges over Coyote creek at Millitas road and at Tully. Pavement of Donner avenue, Hamilton avenue, Peninsula creek road and Stone avenue will be accomplished in the first six months of 1921, Ryder stated today.

Stage Romance Leads To Wedding in 1 exas

With Christmas wedding plans under way and friends anticipating a pretty marriage celebration at the newly home in Oakridge, Miss Marie Miller and J. Burt Burton have announced that they were married in El Paso, Texas, on December 13. The wedding, which was announced last week, was the first of a romance of the theater. Burton is owner and manager of the Burton Players, in which his bride is playing. When it was found that the company would not reach Oakland during the holiday season the couple made arrangements for the wedding. They probably will visit in Oakland during the early spring. Mrs. Burton is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Miller of Broadmoor. She was formerly a member of the Sordyide Club and for several years sang in St. Paul's and the First Methodist choirs. Later she studied dramatic art. Mrs. Burton was a student in Miss Horton's school. Burton's family home is in Oklahoma.

Courts to Decide Chambord Ownership

BLOIS, France, Dec. 21.—The ownership of the Royal Domain of Chambord, the home of former kings of France, soon will be decided before the local courts. Chambord, in 1914, was placed under sequestration as belonging to the Prince Helie de Bourbon-Parme, a brother of the former Empress Zita of Austria-Hungary, who was married to the daughter of the Emperor of the Austrian army. It was to be sold along with other enemy property but the Prince Xavier and Sixte de Bourbon-Parme, both of whom fought with the Allied army, and was decorated with the Croix de Guerre, opposed the sale, asking that the property revert to them as near-est of kin.

Tinplate Company Gives Stock Dividend

MCKEESPORT, Pa., Dec. 21.—The McKeesport Tinplate company has declared a stock dividend of \$7,000,000. President L. E. Crawford issued this announcement. "This company has today increased its capital stock from \$2,000,000 to \$19,000,000, making a stock dividend of \$7,000,000. This has been done to take care of extensions and improvements made to the plant and property covering the last ten years and which had not previously been represented by capital stock. It is to be issued to shareholders of record by December 21, 1920. The McKeesport Tinplate plant is the largest in the world. McKeesport businessmen started it and still own about all the stock.

Dress of Empress Will Be Auctioned

PARIS, Dec. 21.—The beautiful dress worn by Empress Marie Louise, second wife of Napoleon, on the day of her coronation as Empress of France will be sold at auction shortly. The dress is made of exquisite lace, made by the French lace workers of Calvados, to whom Napoleon himself sent the design. It was stolen from the Tuilleries during the riots of the revolution of 1848 and found its way to the Galleria Museum. The Empress was the daughter of Emperor Francis I of Austria-Hungary.

Time Extended for Mining Claim Work

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—A bill extending until July 1 the time for doing 1920 annual assessment work on mining claims in public land states of the West and Alaska was passed by the House and now goes to the President.

J. Pluvius Picks Nice Short Day to Come to Town

The man who took a day off today cheered himself. The boy who looked with longing eye toward Christmas and set the day down as the longest in the year, was all wrong. Like the baby's stocking, the shopper's purse, and the time for "small early" resolutions, the day is the shortest on record. At 7:17 this evening, without any noise or ceremony, winter will make its official start. It is a fact that the sun rose this morning at 6:58, which is a few seconds later than its usual time, and will pull the sun up over its chin at 4:59 o'clock this evening. If there is anybody at the South Pole today he is enjoying the spectacle of a midnight sun and long summer days are being reeled off in the Southern Hemisphere.

COW GIVES 48 QUARTS OF MILK A DAY FOR YEAR

SEATTLE, Dec. 21.—"Segis" pieterse, Prospect, Holstein cow owned by the Carnation stock farms here, completed a year's test today with a total production of 37,384.1 pounds of milk and 144.9 pounds of butter, and establishing new world's records, it was announced by A. M. Gorniley, superintendent at the stock farms. The cow averaged 43 quarts of milk a day for 365 days, it was stated. The total, Gorniley said, exceeds the world record held by "Tilly" Alcatraz, California cow. The test was carried out under supervision of the Washington State College and the Holstein Friesian Association, Battleboro, Nt.

CAT SAVED IN FIRE BY HIS DOG FRIEND

EVERETT, Mass., Dec. 21.—Judson F. Logan and his family overlooked the family cat "Chum" when they made a hurried escape from their burning home today. But "Chum" their big St. Bernard, remembered. The dog discovered the absence of his playmate, rushed back through the smoke and soon reappeared with him in his mouth.

NORWAY FIGHTS RED PROPAGANDA

CHRISTIANIA, Dec. 21.—To stop the circulation of Russian Bolshevik propaganda, the Norwegian government has prohibited the importation of literature from Russia no matter in what language it is written. The only exception is strictly scientific non-political literature. It has been charged here that for some time the Norwegian socialist headquarters have been the center for the distribution to other countries of Russian soviet propaganda literature which is imported from the North. One tale told here is that a great diamond field has been found near the border of the states of Sonora and Sinaloa. This field is as vast as South Africa. But that is not all. The diamonds are as valuable as any the world has seen. There are here clean, and almost ready to be put into rings, necklaces and other ornaments. There will be little toil for diamond cutters, as nature has done almost all of the work. Another story comes from the state of Guerrero. It reads like the veracious prospectus of the Consolidated Wildcat Diamond Corporation. This is it: A famous geologist—to well known to be named—has found the diamond mine from which General Guerrero took sparkling gems and presented them to Emperor Augustin, who, before he became monarch, was General Augustin Luribide. General Guerrero told no one the secret of the location of his diamond mine and died with the secret unrevealed. But the well-known geologist—naming no mentioned—put two and two together and walked straight to General Guerrero's mine. Diamonds were everywhere, a mass of gems equalling in value the fortune of any nabob. The well-known geologist after telling of the diamonds, went on his way to look for something else!

San Jose Vital Statistics

The following vital statistics were recorded: Deaths—Bamfield, December 13, 1920, to Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Hamblet (nee Edna Werner), a daughter. Died—Hastings, in San Jose, Cal. December 16, 1920, Nelson L. Hastings, dearly beloved brother of J. M. Hastings of Oatridge, N. Y., a native of New York, aged 80 years, 11 months and 23 days. Friends are invited to attend the funeral services today (Tuesday), December 21, 1920, at 11 o'clock a. m., from the residence funeral parlors of Thomas Monahan, 203 South Second street, northwest corner of San Carlos street. Interment at Oak Hill cemetery. Married—Reed Shogmaker, 30, Tulare, and Grace E. Thornton, 28, Campbell, Walter E. Tenck, 26, Stockton, and Glenn L. Tenck, 24, San Jose, Gerald D. Vail, 23, Berkeley, Battista Marchetti, 45, Oakland, and L. Cappa, 28, Los Gatos, George T. Taylor, 41, San Francisco, and Louis M. Alexander, 74, San Francisco.

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HARDING IS STILL GETTING ADVICE ON NATIONS' PACT

MARION, Dec. 21.—The conversion of Senator John Shields of Tennessee, bitter Democratic opponent of the league of nations and the treaty of Versailles to the Harding plan for an international tribunal, confirmed by Senator Shields' statement yesterday, is regarded as a distinct victory for the pro-peace.

BIG CHRISTMAS MAIL SWAMPS N. Y. OFFICE

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—The mass of Christmas mail being handled here has reached such proportions that postal inspectors have been ordered to public school buildings. Officials estimated it would be from 35 to 60 per cent greater than last year. Thousands of additional clerks and hundreds of voluntary motor trucks were pressed into service. Mails between here and Europe were said to be the biggest in history.

MEXICO STIRRED BY REPORTS OF DIAMOND MINES

By LOUIS P. KIRBY, International News Service Staff Correspondent.

MEXICO CITY, Mex., Dec. 21.—Finders of "diamond mines" are numerous, but the diamonds have not yet appeared in the market here and no Barney Berinato has arrived to dazzle the capital with his sudden opulence. One tale told here is that a great diamond field has been found near the border of the states of Sonora and Sinaloa. This field is as vast as South Africa. But that is not all. The diamonds are as valuable as any the world has seen. There are here clean, and almost ready to be put into rings, necklaces and other ornaments. There will be little toil for diamond cutters, as nature has done almost all of the work. Another story comes from the state of Guerrero. It reads like the veracious prospectus of the Consolidated Wildcat Diamond Corporation. This is it: A famous geologist—to well known to be named—has found the diamond mine from which General Guerrero took sparkling gems and presented them to Emperor Augustin, who, before he became monarch, was General Augustin Luribide. General Guerrero told no one the secret of the location of his diamond mine and died with the secret unrevealed. But the well-known geologist—naming no mentioned—put two and two together and walked straight to General Guerrero's mine. Diamonds were everywhere, a mass of gems equalling in value the fortune of any nabob. The well-known geologist after telling of the diamonds, went on his way to look for something else!

CHAMBER TO CELEBRATE

SAN JOSE, Dec. 21.—Christmas decorations will be used in giving a holiday aspect to the assembly hall of the Chamber of Commerce Thursday, when the members gather for their weekly forum luncheon. In addition to an address by Congressman-elect A. M. Egan, who will be musical features, including solo by Chester Herold, who will be accompanied on the piano by Dr. Charles M. Richards. There will also be music by an orchestra made up of

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\$150,000 FIND OF BONDS PROMISES LOTS OF TROUBLE

CHICAGO, Dec. 21.—Some folks might figure themselves lucky to find \$150,000 in bonds for which no owner has been discovered, but Carl Jagger, of Gary, Ind., whose wife picked up \$150,000 worth of treasury certificates in a Chicago taxi cab last May, is beginning to think it is bad luck. Personal authorities declare the bonds became income when they matured September 14. Hence Carl may have to pay an income tax. Carl did not earn the bonds, his wife found them. Inheritance tax due the government, \$51,000. Lawyers have discovered that Carl's wife had no legal right to receive property from a common carrier. They threaten a writ of replevin to restore the bonds to the taxicab company. If they get the writ, Carl says he will be \$70,000 worse off, because five of the bonds, worth \$10,000 each, have passed from his possession. The net result is that, if all these things happen, Carl may find himself \$101,000 or more in debt.

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Moving Pictures to Help Recruiting

Moving pictures of the super-dreadnaught U. S. S. California, and a lecture by Howard M. Smith, assisted by Chief Postmaster Mate Hugo Schlenker of the navy recruiting station, Twelfth and Broadway, Oakland, will be presented at the Emeryville theater, Fortieth and San Pablo tonight. In addition there will be several selections by a navy duet.

LIBRARY NEEDS MONEY

SAN JOSE, Dec. 21.—A motion to increase the budget of the city library from \$12,000 to \$16,000 will be offered by Councilman L. D. Chase at the next meeting of the city council. It was stated today that most of the increase would go toward purchasing new books. The library has increased in a marked manner in the last few years.

Life of Mary Pickford

The new year will dawn on a record-breaking array of fascinating newspaper features for readers of The OAKLAND TRIBUNE.

Two great epoch-making contracts have just been signed, giving The TRIBUNE exclusive rights to "The Life of Mary Pickford" and "White Shadows in the South Seas," by Frederick O'Brien, best-seller of the year.

In addition the great sensational new novel, "The Woman Hater," by Ruby Ayres, has been secured.

Edith Johnson will write a smashing new serial, "Would You Marry Your Husband Over Again?"

"Holding a Husband" by Adele Garrison, will succeed "My Heart and Husband."

There will be "The Autobiography of Andrew Carnegie," "Count Witte's Memoirs," Gerda, Aunt Elsie and the usual excellent features.

White Shadows in the South Seas

Written by Frederick O'Brien, former San Francisco newspaper man, this great book has caused a sensation. It will start in The TRIBUNE shortly after the New Year. Another excellent feature just signed is "Clarified Classics," by Anne Jordan. All the noted works of literature will be put into 1921 English weekly for TRIBUNE readers. Order your paper today for the new year!

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SUPERVISION OF POOLROOMS IS COUNCIL'S ORDER

SAN JOSE, Dec. 21.—At the suggestion of Councilman Atkinson the city council last night expressed itself emphatically in favor of closer supervision of the poolrooms of the city and instructed the public health and safety committee to investigate and report as to the advisability of limiting the number of licenses granted for conducting pool rooms. In my attention," said Councilman Atkinson, "but we have a good example of what poolrooms ought to be in San Francisco. It may be even now that the poolrooms in the outlying sections of the city are being used as hangouts by undesirable characters. The public health and safety committee were further instructed to ascertain whether public dance halls were properly supervised, and another the provisions of the 9 p. m. curfew law were being complied with. But a vote of four to three the city council authorized the use of conflict during the New Year's celebration.

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DEL MONTE CATSUP	ASSORTED SPICES	CALINUT OLEO
19c Pt. Bot.	7 1/2c Can	29c Lb.

Sugar PURE JAVA CANE 12 lbs. \$1.00

FOLGER'S ENSIGN COFFEE	IXL TAMALES	GRAPE NUTS	CALUMET BAKING POWDER
Regular 35c Lb	Regular 15c can	While they last	Reg. 35c Lb. Can
25c Lb	10c Can	14c	21c Lb.

Juvenile Court Reads Lecture to Poolroom Owners

SAN JOSE, Dec. 21.—Following considerable agitation against the manner in which the poolrooms of the city are conducted, Stevens & Kubich, owners of a poolroom business in that city were brought before the juvenile court today on a citation and given a severe reprimand. It was intimated that more serious action would be taken unless the places are conducted in a more orderly manner. The judge of the juvenile court also issued a number of orders permitting wards in state institutions to return to their homes for Christmas. In each instance, the families assumed the responsibility of returning the youngsters to the institutions.

CUBAN STATESMAN DIES. HAVANA, Cuba, Dec. 21.—Manuel M. Coronado, 62 years of age, vice-president of the senate and owner of La Esquivel, one of the oldest newspapers in Cuba, died here yesterday. He was a veteran of Cuba's war of independence, during which he attained the grade of colonel. Death resulted from cancer of the lungs. If you saw it in The TRIBUNE tell them so.

Secy. Colby Arrives At Brazil's Capital

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS. LEASED WIRE TO TRIBUNE. RIO DE JANEIRO, Dec. 21.—Batholomeo Colby, the American secretary of state arrived here this morning on board the battleship

Florida from the United States. Mr. Colby, who is accompanied by General Cronkite and Admiral Moffett, representing the United States army and navy, respectively, came to Brazil to return the visit of President Pessoa to the United States. The Florida sailed from Newport News, Va., December 4.

WASHINGTON MARKET

LESSER BROS. NINTH AND WASHINGTON STREETS.

CHRISTMAS MEATS

BEEF	PORK	VEAL	LAMB	POULTRY
and all kinds of				
SUCKLING PIGS				
Strictly fresh dressed—				
12 lbs. and up, per pound				
45c and 48c				

Big Specials on Young Pork

PORK SHOULDER ROAST—	20c
per pound	
LEGS OF PORK—	25c
per pound	
SMALL LOINS OF PORK by the whole or half	35c
loin, per pound	
LEAF LARD, per pound	22c

Poultry

Strictly fresh dressed CHICKENS Wisconsin Geese and Ducks, —all at the lowest market price.

Turkeys

Owing to the uncertainty of market price on Turkeys, as the price is generally regulated by supply and demand, we cannot quote any prices today. HOWEVER, we anticipate a lower selling price for Christmas than we had for Thanksgiving. We will have nothing but the best, strictly fresh dressed California Turkeys—all sizes.

ECONOMY GENERAL MARKET

713 Washington Street, Near Seventh WE DELIVER MONDAY AND THURSDAY

Xmas Specials for Wed., Thurs., Fri.

10 LBS. BEST CANE SUGAR 87c

GOLD MEDAL HARD WHEAT FLOUR, 49-pound sack—\$3.10—24 1/2 pounds. \$1.60—10 pounds, 75c

COFFEE—Hills Bros., Schilling's and M. J. B., per lb. 46c

ECONOMY BEST, regular 40c—Market Dues, per lb. 35c

LARGE STORAGE EGGS, per dozen 68c

LARGE EASTERN BROWN EGGS, per dozen 69c

LOCAL FRESH EGGS, per dozen 75c

EXTRA RANCH EGGS, per dozen 80c

BUTTER received fresh daily—Prices always the lowest

FANCY CALIFORNIA RICE, 4 pounds for 25c

DROMEDARY DATES, package 20c

ALMONDS, none better, 1920 crop, 2 lbs. 35c; 6 lbs. \$1.00

FILBERTS, per pound 25c—2 pounds 45c

EXTRA HIGH-GRADE MIXED NUTS, 25c—2 Lbs. 45c

WALNUTS (good), 7 pounds \$1.00

CHRISTMAS CANDIES, mixed and broken— Creams and Chocolates, per pound 23c to 30c

FANCY FIGS (5-pound boxes), box \$1.25

A GOOD PRUNE at (25-pound box), box \$1.75

Dandy Red Apples, Box \$1.95 Delivered.

Fancy Turkey, lb.	58c	Fancy, well-trimmed fresh	
Fancy Chickens, small, lb.	43c	pork hams, lb.	28c
Large, lb.	45c	Pork Shoulders, lb.	18c
Fancy Ducks, lb.	48c	Lamb Shoulders, lb.	18c
Fancy Geese, lb.	50c	Lamb Chops, lb.	20c
Steaks, Sirloin and Porterhouse, lb.			25c

ROSS MARKET

518-520 ELEVENTH STREET, BETWEEN WASHINGTON AND CLAY Phone Lakeside 2730 Free and Prompt Delivery

Extra Fancy Nevada Burbank Potatoes, Basket.....	90c	Good Nevada Burbank Potatoes	
Box.....	\$1.75	Large sack, per full sack.....	\$2.90
Per 100 lbs. by the sack, \$2.90			

Brussels Sprouts.....2 lbs. 15c

Large Head Cabbage, each.....9c

Garden Spinach lb.....6c

Jumbo Sunkist Lemons, doz. 15c

Sunkist Grape Fruit, 6 for 25c

White Cauliflower, each.....12c

Large Cream Squash, 3 for 10c

Sunkist Navel Oranges here.....doz. 30c to 60c.

Best Apples—all varieties—and Sunkist Oranges or Grape Fruit by the whole or half box at special prices.

This market open every day. The advertised prices are our every day prices. Free delivery every day and special care to all telephone orders!

SANITARY FREE MARKET

Washington & Clay Sts. at 10th

This Market will be open Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, December 22, 23 and 24, and Closed Christmas, Saturday, Dec. 25.

No. 56—MRS. R. LOUIS
Sole Agent for This Market.



Always Fresh—Lowest Prices—
HIGHLAND

Fresh Pasteurized
Creamery Butter—
2 pounds \$1.11

MOSSWOOD

Fresh Pasteurized
Creamery Butter—
2 pounds \$1.07

GOLDEN STATE SEAL
SHELL EGGS—EXTRA
LARGE—

Special 65c

BIG SPECIAL
EGGS FRESH EGGS

"EXTRA" LARGE. Every
Extra Guaranteed. Lowest
prices.

CALIFORNIA FULL
CREAM CHEESE.

Special, per pound 29c

FANCY TILLAMOOK
CHEESE, SHARP AND
CREAMY—

per pound 39c

BIG SPECIAL ON SWISS
CHEESE—White

it lasts, per pound 45c

FANCY OLD SHARP
OREGON CHEESE.

special, per pound 37c

MISSOURI BOYS PEANUT BUTTER

PEANUT BRITTLE

10c lb.

Make it yourself,
it's simple

HOT PEANUTS 2 lbs. 25c

Van's Grocery
Wishes You All
a Merry Xmas
and a Happy
New Year

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SPECIAL WAL-

NUTS, 2 lbs. 35c

SPECIAL ON

CRANBERRIES

NEW DATES, 55c

2 lbs. 55c

Extra large Navel

Oranges, per dozen 45c

For Every Dollar—
Free Delivery.

MRS. HORWITZ' COOKIES
MERRY XMAS AND HAPPY NEW YEAR.
Xmas Boxes, per box 35c, 80c and \$2.00
1004 Clay St. Main Store.

OPEN DAILY

SPECIAL ON BUTTER

BUTTERCREAMERY—
(Fresh Creamery) 2 lbs. 98c

LARGE EGGS—
(Storage) Doz. 65c

THE BUTTER BOX

STAND 35

MISSOURI BOYS PEANUT BUTTER

Woman Witness Says Other Man Was Death Car Driver

SAN JOSE, Dec. 21.—Wearing a mask-like veil, which she said she had donned to escape newspaper photographers, Mrs. Myrtle Curry took the stand for the prosecution in the case against Frederick M. Smith, wealthy young married man, who is accused of failing to stop his coupe and assist young Richard Buehler after he had been run down and fatally injured in First street a couple of months ago.

Mrs. Curry testified that she had testified at the coroner's inquest at Smith's request that Richard Fields, who was in the machine at the time, was in reality the driver, when as a matter of fact Smith was at the wheel at the time. She said that Fields was intoxicated, which made it easy to "frame" against him, and that she did not realize the enormity of her offense.

Fields was first arrested for the offense and the case had reached the coroner's inquest when Mrs. Curry changed her story, stating that her conscience would not permit her to proceed with the deception. The case against Fields, who is a young banker and a bachelor, was then dropped by the district attorney.

Smith appeared in court today with his pretty young wife and two children. A large number of witnesses have been subpoenaed in an effort to show that there were other motives behind Mrs. Curry's change of testimony than a troubled conscience.

Mrs. Curry took the stand, her face nearly hidden with a heavy black veil. After she had been asked by Attorney Richardson to remove her veil, Mrs. Curry complied with this request, and a photographer outside the courtroom.

Mrs. Curry told the story that she was with Smith and Field August 12, and that she had met them at Zoro's Grill at about 2 o'clock in the afternoon. She said that she had met Smith for the first time about three weeks previous to this time, and that she did not know Field at all. They met again at about 5 o'clock, she testified. Smith drove Field's machine to his Field's house on South Third street, where Field changed his clothes. About two and one-half hours were spent at Field's place, and then the three, sitting three abreast in the front seat, drove down town on their way to Leo Chow's restaurant on Bassett street. She asserted that Smith was driving the coupe at that time.

TALKED WITH HALEY
The machine pulled up on Second street opposite Fountain street, she said, and Smith spoke to a few minutes with Edward Haley. Later on, at Julian street, she said that she felt some kind of an impact against the side of the machine, but that she did not know what it was. She described the arrest in the Bassett street restaurant and said that Smith drove the car to the police station. She said that Smith was dressed in light and Field in dark clothes.

Mrs. Curry asserted that Smith said, at the time of the accident: "That was their fault—they ran into us." She stated that the lights of the car were burning when they

drew up at the Bassett street restaurant, but that she did not know whether they were burning at other times or not.

ADMITTED FALSE TESTIMONY
Upon being questioned by Attorney Richardson during the cross-examination as to her testimony at the coroner's inquest, she admitted all of it read by Mr. Richardson, whereupon Richardson offered that portion of the transcript of testimony at the coroner's inquest as evidence in the present case.

Mrs. Curry, under examination by Mr. O'Connor, said that Smith had asked her to give the testimony she gave the coroner's inquest, and that she had said to him that she had been told to say what he wanted her to say at an hour before the inquest, at 10 o'clock in the morning. She said that she and Smith went back to Oswald's office after the inquest and that there Smith admitted, before Attorneys Louis, James P. Sex and Maurice Rankin, that he had been the driver of the car.

She testified that Smith had turned the lights on just before the car came to Maple street, because someone shouted from the curb that the lights were not lit.

Richardson asked her why she had testified falsely before the coroner's jury August 18. She asserted that no one had told her what to testify and that she was telling the truth. She said that she remained closed in Oswald's office from immediately after the coroner's inquest until after 5 o'clock at night.

Mrs. Mary Coppage
Asks Final Decree

Application has been made by Mrs. Mary Shields Coppage for a final decree of divorce from C. L. Coppage, wealthy clubman and sales manager of an oil company, before Judge Brown. An interlocutory decree was secured in November of 1919, after months of litigation. The rumor that the Coppages would remarry was emphatically denied.

The original trial, which began March 5, 1918, was complicated by difficulty in proving Coppage's financial standing. Mrs. Coppage contended that he was worth \$40,000 besides his net income of more than \$1000 per month, while he denied having any such amount. He also declared that his income fell off over \$400 per month because of his wife's accusations. When the decree was granted by Judge Brown, she was given two-thirds of all property "in sight," which proved to be about \$9000.

The divorce decree was granted on the grounds of extreme cruelty. Mrs. Coppage testified that her husband had confessed that he had been associating with other women and was "unfit to live with her longer." He afterward packed his trunk and left home with the suggestion that his wife should get a divorce.

Sunday School to
Give Program Tonight

The Sunday school of the First Baptist church will give its regular Christmas program in the church auditorium this evening at 8 o'clock, at the close of which Santa Claus will make his appearance. The program includes a play, "The Nativity," given in tableaux and songs, with the following cast:
Mary, Martha Hall; Joseph, Mark Megladery; the Angel, Osella Wells; the Prophet, Herbert Moore; the Voice, Johanna Munroe. The public is invited.

Hungry Wrestler
Costs Town Its
Christmas Dinner

SAN JOSE, Dec. 21.—A shortage of Christmas turkeys was discovered today in the San Jose market and investigation showed that it was caused by heavy purchases by Dr. Ada Scott Morton in preparing for a public reception tonight for the homecoming of her husband, Strangler Ed Lewis, winner of the world's wrestling championship a couple of weeks ago in New York. Dr. Morton bought several hundred birds to be prepared for a couple of thousand people who are expected to be present at her home tonight when Strangler Ed motors into the surprise party. Dr. Morton was assisted in making plans for the reception by a committee from the chamber of commerce, a committee of citizens and committees from various clubs. Special car service from San Jose to the ranch was announced by Manager F. E. Chapin of the San Jose railroads and a huge silver trophy will be given to the city's first world's champion.

KEY GROCERY

5th and Washington Sts., Oakland

BEST CANE SUGAR, 81c

any amount, per lb.

QUEEN LILY SOAP, 10c

per bar

SPERRY FLOUR, \$2.83

49 lbs.

BORDEN'S MILK, 11c

per tin

MAZOLA OIL, 55c

quarts

CREME OIL SOAP, 7c

per cake

SYLMAR OLIVE, \$1.14

OIL, large bottles

BEST STORAGE, 59c

EGGS, per dozen

S. & W. CORN, 20c

per tin

Walk these for extra blocks and save money.

Get Your Holiday Supply While They Last

APRICOTS, 10c

PEACHES, 12c

Box, 2 1/2 lbs. cans, Cannery foot of 8th ave. and Western Pacific Tracks. PHONE ELM 396.

STUTTGART TO GUARD GRAVES OF AMERICANS

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—Care of graves of American soldiers who as German prisoners died in hospitals at Stuttgart, Germany, will be perpetually undertaken by the municipality of Stuttgart because of "numerous and magnanimous gifts of love which Americans of German descent and Quakers of the United States have sent to our people of late."

The announcement was made in a message published here today by the New York State's Zeitung from the Mayor of Stuttgart.

LEMON TARIFF ASKED.

RIVERSIDE, Dec. 21.—Realizing the importance at this time of higher tariff on California lemons to protect the growers against the Italian fruit, the Riverside Chamber of Commerce has applied to Congressmen William Kettner, asking him to use all influence possible in the house toward securing an adequate tariff.

Clara Smith Is in Mexico, Says Mother

EL PASO, Texas, Dec. 21.—Mrs. J. L. Smith, mother of Clara Smith, wanted in Ardmore, Okla., on a charge of murder of John L. Hannon, said today Miss Smith was with her brother somewhere in Mexico, but would return voluntarily for trial.

"We have heard from Clara at last," said Mrs. Smith. "She is coming to El Paso and then will go to Fort Worth and get ready for her trial. She will be with us Christmas, for we are expecting her in a day or two."



Make Your Home
Bright and Cheerful
for Christmas

Fill every socket with a bright, clean, new Edison Lamp. Old lamps give less light and use more current than new ones.

10-watt, 115-volt Edison Mazda..... 40
15-watt, 115-volt Edison Mazda..... 40
25-watt, 115-volt Edison Mazda..... 40
40-watt, 115-volt Edison Mazda..... 40
50-watt, 115-volt Edison Mazda..... 40
60-watt, 115-volt Edison Mazda..... 45
75-watt, 115-volt Edison Mazda..... 75
100-watt, 115-volt Edison Mazda..... 1.10
30-watt, 115-volt White Edison Mazda..... 65
25 and 50-watt, 230-volt Edison Mazda..... 45

Telephone Us Your Order Now.
Lakeside 2000. Open Evenings.

You will be disappointed if you don't get your Christmas Tree Lights early

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ELECTRIC
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526 13th ST OAKLAND

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FROM
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M. Van Erp--The Delicatessen Man

New City Market, 1222 Washington Street
Open Between 9 A. M. and 6 P. M.

SALADS FANCY SALADS

COFFEE—M. J. B. Schilling's or Hills Bros' Red Can..... lb. 46c

Try my "Quality" brand, None-Better..... lb. 35c

TREE TEA—English Breakfast, mixed or black..... 23c

Green Japan..... 26c

CURRENTS—Dodge brand, 15 ozs..... 27c

RAISINS—SEEDLESS—11-oz. package..... 23c

CITRON, 55c, ORANGE or LEMON PEEL, per lb..... 38c

SUNKIST SLICED PINEAPPLE—Reg. 25c can, 17c; reg. 49c

can, 28c; reg. 50c can..... 31c

DEL MONTE PEACHES—No. 2 1/2 can, reg. 50c, now..... 31c

MINCE MEAT—Morrell's Yorkshire Farm, per lb..... 25c

Libby's, in glass jar, per jar..... 75c

PLUM PUDDING—"K. & R.", small, 2 for 25c; medium..... 35c

OYSTERS—Red Ribbon brand, 2 for 35c; BLUE POINTS..... 25c

SHRIMPS—Dodge or Cliff brand, 23c; Dunbar's..... 25c

HERRINGS—Imported Holland, All Miltner, in kegs, per keg \$1.25

OLIVES—RIPE—Elmum's extra select, per pint..... 25c

OLIVES—QUEEN—Green, extra large, pint 45c; quart..... 85c

STUFFED OLIVES—Per pint, 55c; quart..... 95c

SMOKED FINNAN HADDIES, lb..... 25c

SMOKED EASTERN LAKE WHITEFISH, lb..... 40c

MACKEREL, each..... 10c

SWEDISH ANCHOVIES—Imported, in tins, kegs and in bulk.

All kinds of Domestic and Imported SALT, SMOKED and Prepared Fish.

IMPORTED GENUINE NORWAY STOCKFISH—1 take orders for prepared fish to be delivered New Year.

SWIFT'S Eastern Sugar-Cured Bacon, by side or half side, per lb..... 45c

Horlick's Malted Milk

Get the ORIGINAL

Fresh, full-cream milk and the extract of selected malted grain, reduced to powder form.

The Food-Drink for All Ages.

Used successfully for over 1/3 century.

Superior to tea, coffee, cocoa

A quick lunch readily digested.

Invigorating, Nourishing, Delicious

Ask for Horlick's at All Fountains

Prepared in a moment by briskly stirring the powder in hot or cold water. Keep at home or when traveling.

Ask For and Get Horlick's

thus Avoiding Imitations

SUBSTITUTES Cost YOU Same Price

Write for free sample to Horlick's, Dept. B, Racine, Wis.

HOUSEWIVES Free Market

FROM PRODUCER TO CONSUMER
AT WASHINGTON AND CLAY STREET AT
Wednesdays and Saturdays only

THIS IS THE ONLY TWO-DAY-A-WEEK FREE MARKET IN OAKLAND

Pure Cane Sugar..... \$8.25 100 lbs. None Such Mince Meat..... 12 1/2c

Oysters..... 15c | R. & R. Plum Pudding, 1 lb. 33c | Shrimps..... 22c

Del Monte or S. & W. Tomatoes..... 14c

Del Monte Peas..... 19c | Gifford Olives..... 12 1/2c

Christmas Tobacco Jars

Prince Albert, 16 oz..... \$1.35 Tuxedo, 10 oz..... 97c

Edgeworth, 16 oz..... \$1.25 Velvet, 16 oz..... \$1.25

NO. 69---CRESCENT NUT CO.---NO. 69

HOLIDAY SPECIALS

PEANUT BUTTER, ground fresh..... 2 lbs. 45c

HOT ROASTED PEANUTS..... 2 lbs. 25c

JUMBO SALTED PEANUTS..... per lb. 25c

FRESH GROUND HORSE RADISH..... per bottle 15c

TONY JUSTI

Clay Street Entrance Clay Street Entrance

Will have a big surprise. Hood River and Spitzenberg

Apples, Oranges, Bananas, Figs, Onions and Burbank

Potatoes at the LOWEST FREE MARKET PRICES.

Stall 74---Notion Stand---Stall 74

SPECIAL

TOYS and CHRISTMAS TREE ORNAMENTS

4 1/2-foot Strings of Beads..... 15c

10c-a-yard Tinsel, 6 yards..... 30c

\$1.75 Locomotive and Tender..... 95c

\$2.75 Mechanics Train..... \$2.25

\$2.50 Choo Choo Kiddie-Kar..... \$2.00

CUT RATE GROCERY

Middle of the Market

Globe Pop Corn, lb..... 7c

IXL Almonds, lb..... 25c

D. M. Squash, 2 1/2 tin..... 12 1/2c

Wilson Marshmallow Cream..... 25c

Reiner Chocolate, 1 lb. cans..... 30c

Ivens, the Florist

Clay Street Entrance

Cut Flowers, Plants and Christmas

Berries at Free Market Prices

Poinsettias..... 25c and up

Wreaths..... 25c each

Christmas Trees..... 25c up

64 FELDHEYM

Falcor's Coffee, per lb..... 25c

Highgrade Mince Meat, 2 lbs. 45c

H. B. Shrimps, 2 cans..... 45c

Names Crab, reg. 60c..... 45c

Apple and Loganberry Jam, 2 lbs..... 45c

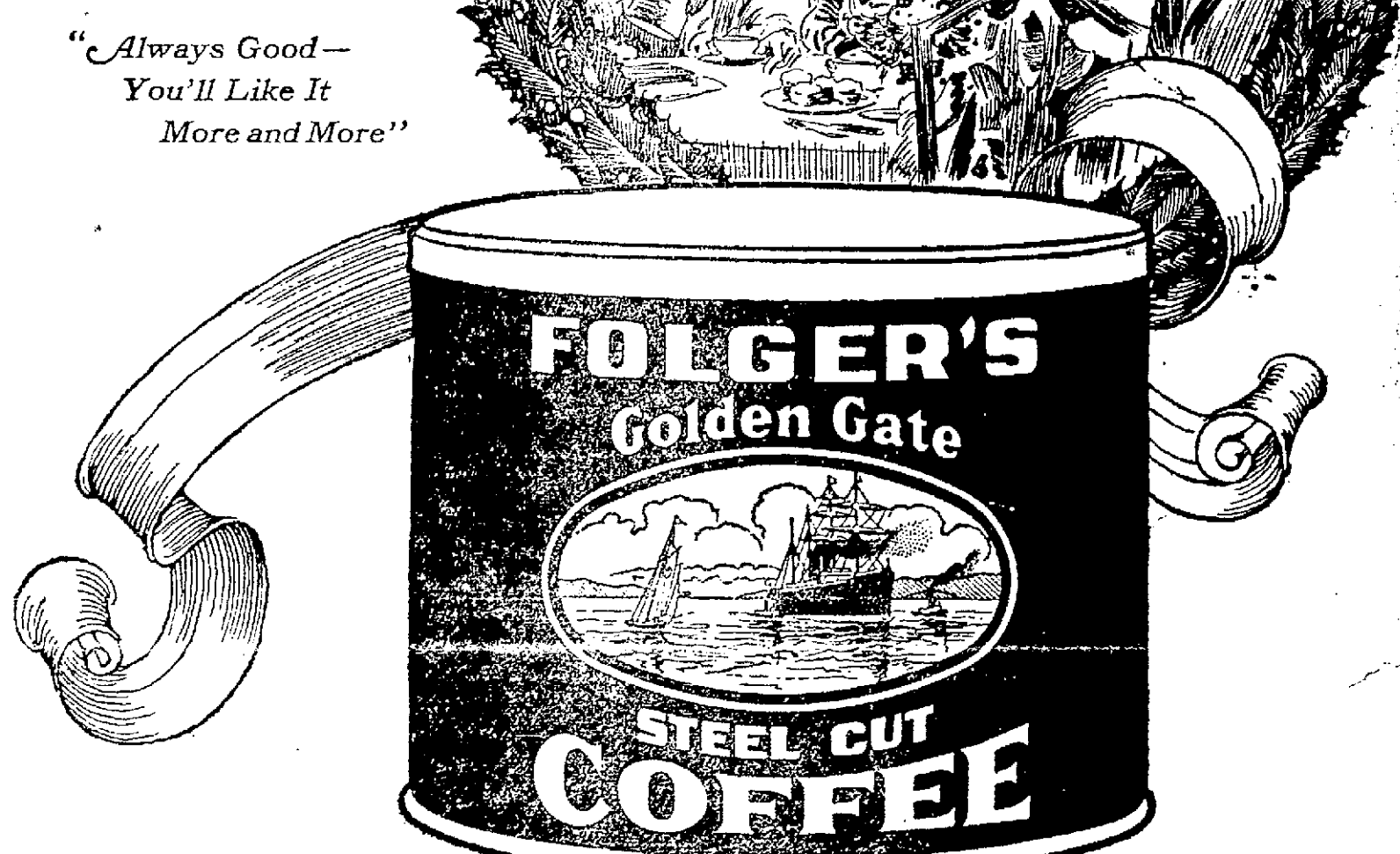
Honey, 2 lbs..... 35c

FRED WALTERS

Mixed Nuts, lb..... 25c

5 lbs..... \$1.00

All kinds of Almonds, Raisins, Figs and Dried Fruits.



For a merry Christmas morning

What a fine start for Christmas Day — your steaming cup of FOLGER'S GOLDEN GATE Coffee! From the first taste — its smooth, uniform flavor radiates joy and happiness.

But why not let your relatives and friends enjoy it too? A 2 1/2-lb. or 5-lb. tin of FOLGER'S GOLDEN GATE Coffee will make a practical, acceptable Christmas present for you to give.

Ask the lady of your own house how she would like such a present. See if she doesn't consider this a sensible solution to your Christmas gift problem.

If your

BEARS WILL LEAVE FOR PASADENA GAME NEXT FRIDAY NIGHT

BILL KENWORTHY SECURES PITCHER FROM ST. LOUIS CARDINALS; ALMOST READY FOR SEASON

SEATTLE MANAGER IS PROMISED 2 INFIELD MEN BY CINCINNATI

Boston Braves Have Funny Way of Purchasing Baseball Players, Thinks Kenworthy

By EDDIE MURPHY
William (Kopecks) Kenworthy, newly appointed manager of the Seattle club was about town yesterday receiving congratulations from his friends for the new position which he has been given by President Klepper. It has been a couple of weeks since Kenworthy landed the new job, but congratulations were delayed because Billy beat it for Seattle to discuss plans for next season's pennant fight, with his bosses. Billy gave Old Man Rumor an awful knockout wallop. He wanted to know who started all the stuff about Pitchers Bob Geary and "Socks" Seibold, saying they would not come out to the Coast league next season. Bill has letters in his pocket from both those players who congratulate their new manager, and also state that it is mighty cold in the East and that they are ready to come out here right away.

Although he intends to land a couple of new men for his team, Kenworthy said that he would be satisfied to open the pennant fight with the roster of players he has announced officially that he purchased yesterday from the Cardinals. Kenworthy said that he had purchased Tex Western from the Cardinals, a right-handed pitcher who has been turned over to the Seattle club by the St. Louis Cardinals.

Jacobs is touted as a mighty good pitcher, being with the Cardinals last year because several clubs in the big league refused to waive on him. The Cardinals tried to ship him to the Los Angeles club, but the Cardinals refused to waive on him.

Kenworthy doesn't think that it will be much after the Cardinals will have two of the players turned over to him by Cincinnati. They are both infielders.

Kenworthy will have a tough time picking his club, as he has already picked up Tex Western from the Cardinals, and he has also picked up Tex Western from the Cardinals.

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Good Players Fail to Play Winter Ball

The last couple of Sundays failed to bring much joy to the little bunch of players who are waiting to play winter ball. The players who are waiting to play winter ball are waiting to play winter ball. The players who are waiting to play winter ball are waiting to play winter ball.

\$259.50 Has Been Donated to Date By the Sportsmen

The Sportsmen's County Infirmary fund was given a nice little boost yesterday when a check for \$259.50 was handed over to the infirmary.

The Alameda Bells of the Tri-State League have been given a check for \$259.50 by the sportsmen.

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The P. C. L. Storm Center



JACK COOK, former Alameda county clerk and now secretary of the Salt Lake baseball club, who is the stormy petrel of the Pacific Coast League. Jack says he loves a good scrap and will give the opposition a good time.

Magnates Still Threatening to Get Each Other

By BOB SHAND
With Don Strub, of the Seals, threatening to run Jack Cook out of the Pacific Coast league and Cook threatening to start another league, the magnates are still threatening to get each other.

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Now They Will Have to Make New Schedule

University of Oregon Has "Kick" Coming Regarding Football Dates

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GORDON MURRAY, U. C. SUBSTITUTE HALF BACK OUT FOR THE SEASON

Morrison Shows Pep in Scrimmage Against the Second Team at California Field

By DOUG. MONTELL

California suffered her first serious injury of the season yesterday when Trainer Bryan reported that Gordon "Ugg" Murray, substitute halfback, would be out of the game for the remainder of the year.

Murray sustained an injury to his foot in scrimmage practice Saturday and the extent of the damage was not known until yesterday, when an X-ray showed a bone to be broken in his foot.

While it is doubtful whether Murray would have had an opportunity to display his ability in the coming game with Ohio State on account of the great number of high class back field men on the Bruin squad, his loss to the squad is never the less keenly felt by the team and by Andy Smith.

Throughout the season Murray has been considered a most valuable man to the California team. One of the best backs in the country, he has been on hand in a pinch and although few opportunities presented themselves during the season to allow him to star, he has participated in a number of games on the Bruin squad.

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LICENSE LAW HITS HARD AT STREET SHOWS

RICHMOND, Dec. 21.—A license fee of \$150 a day for street entertainers, intended to discourage them from playing in this city, and provision for the licensing of all cigar stores, soft drink establishments, pool rooms, etc., were among the measures introduced in a new ordinance regulating business, adopted by the City Council last night. The new ordinance consolidates about 30 old ordinances and contains approximately 650 sections. It is the result of an argument and amendment of various sections by the City Council last night took up the entire time of the councilmen from 5:30 to 11:30 o'clock.

The new ordinance provides a \$15 quarterly license fee for all peddlers and solicitors now having a fixed place of business, and requires that they carry their license at all times and must exhibit it upon the demand of any citizen as well as police officers.

The license placed on cigar and soft drink establishments is \$5 a year, the intention of this license being to give the police power to close places where it is found the law is violated. Violation of any Federal or State law, including the prohibition law, is given as ground for revoking the license.

In licensing peddlers, the Council expected peddlers of fruits, vegetables, milk, meat and farm products, but provision was made that all produce sold in bulk must have the weight of the contents of a package plainly marked thereon.

DRIVER INJURED IN SMASH OF TRUCK AND AUTO

SAN LEANDRO, Dec. 21.—H. C. Bradbury, touring car, collided with a truck of the San Francisco Company of San Francisco at East Fourteenth street and Euclid avenue at 8 o'clock this morning and is in a hospital with a broken leg and severe cuts about the head.

The truck, driven by Pat White, is reported to have been on the wrong side of the road.

Bradbury is attended by Dr. C. H. Miller.

LAWYER ACCUSED AS EMBEZZLER

BERKELEY, Dec. 21.—William F. Herron, 38, attorney, said to have offices in the San Francisco building, San Francisco, was arrested here and arraigned before Justice of Peace Edgar this morning charged with felony embezzlement. He was being held in default of \$1000 bond, and his hearing set for Thursday.

Herron is charged by J. C. Tupper, of the Tupper and Reid Music Company, Berkeley, with having taken \$160 with which to settle a case brought against Tupper by Jones and George, a San Francisco decorating firm. The decorating firm was awarded a court verdict of \$160 for a couch which they sold to Tupper and for which he refused to pay on the grounds that it did not adhere to original specifications. Tupper declares Herron induced him that he could settle the case for \$160, but did nothing.

Herron will be in court for a preliminary hearing Thursday morning.

Christmas Mails

Break All Records

SAN JOSE, Dec. 21.—While many merchants of San Jose say the Christmas season has not been up to the standard expected, and that they have been forced to reduce prices in order to move Christmas goods, officials at the postoffice declare the parcel post business this year is far greater than it has ever been before. This applies not only to the incoming mail, but to the outgoing as well.

Postmaster Millard has found it necessary to add additional clerks to the number usually employed, and all are now working extra hours.

Yesterday the number of parcels was the heaviest it has been on any Sunday, and a number of the regular postmen were called in to aid the office staff in handling it.

Alameda Delinquency

Tax List Prepared

ALAMEDA, Dec. 21.—City Auditor J. J. Croft has just finished checking up the delinquency list of the first installment of the city taxes of Alameda. Out of \$271,200, the amount of the first installment, there was a delinquency of \$18,510, of which \$10,500 is taxes due from the Emergency Fleet Corporation, leaving a net delinquency of \$8,010. Last year for the same period this amount was \$10,771. The total tax charges in the assessment for this year amount to \$367,767, making up of \$271,200 on the first installment, and \$96,567 on the second. This is based on the rate of 32 1/2.

Last Words Said for Honored Pioneer

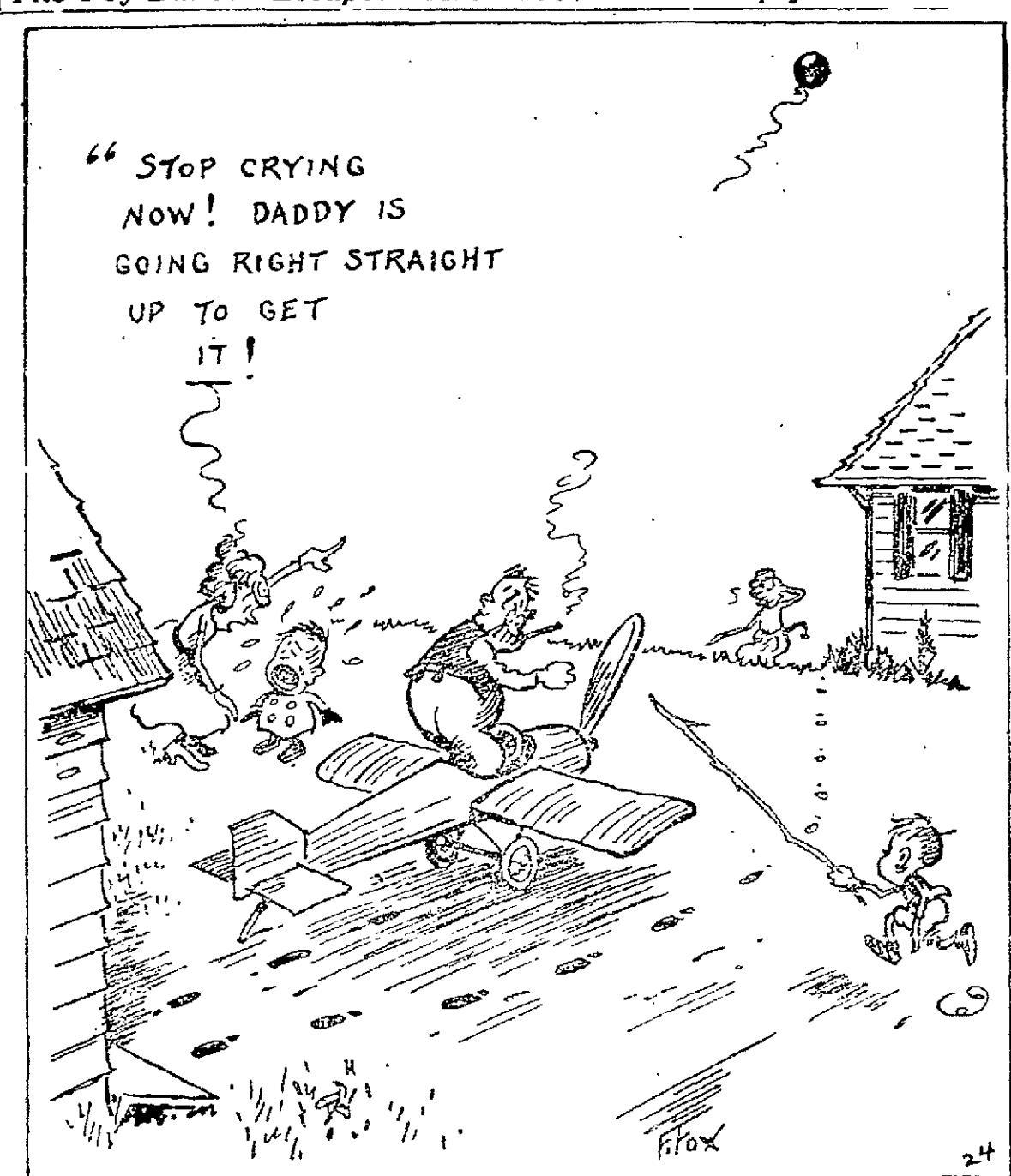
SAN JOSE, Dec. 21.—Many friends attended the funeral yesterday of Jeremiah Croaves, aged 95, a pioneer resident of San Jose, who died suddenly following a stroke of paralysis at his home in the Alameda. The services were held at St. Joseph's church and burial was in Calvary cemetery. He crossed the Isthmus of Panama in 1850 and made his home in Stockton, Santa Cruz and San Jose. For the past sixty years he had lived on the Alameda, establishing his residence on that thoroughfare when portions of it were touched by government land.

MUST PAY POLL TAX

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—The supreme court today allowed decisions of lower courts to stand which held that seamen residing temporarily in Alaska when their work takes them there, must pay the Alaska poll tax of \$5 a year.

The Toy Balloon Escapes—A. D. 1930—

—By Fontaine Fox



BOND BIDS WILL BE RESUBMITTED

SANTA CLARA, Dec. 21.—Bids for Santa Clara school bonds amounting to \$225,000 were rejected by the county board of supervisors today and the clerk was instructed to advertise for new bids which must be filed with the board before January 17. Members of the board stated that the reason that the bids were rejected was that many of the bidders filed conditional bids and it is the policy of the board to accept only unconditional bids. The condition imposed was that the bidders should state that they would not accept the bids if their attorney stated that the bids were not legal. The highest bidder was the National City Bank of San Francisco, which offered a premium of \$10,351.

CHILDREN FIRST IN HAYWARD FETE

HAYWARD, Dec. 21.—The Ladies' Danish Society Valborg will hold its Christmas tree Wednesday evening, December 29, at Danla hall at 7 p. m.

Real Estate Board

Studies Assessments

A study of tax assessments and of appropriations of public funds is being undertaken by the Real Estate Board.

Home Burns; Woman

Narrowly Escapes

HEALINGWORTH, Dec. 21.—Mrs. Thomas Wharton narrowly escaped death when her home here was destroyed by fire last night. Mrs. Wharton was alone, for her husband having died four months ago. The fire had gained great headway when she discovered it and it was with difficulty that she succeeded in making her way to safety. The house and all of its contents were destroyed.

Alameda Treasury

Gets \$210,000 Taxes

ALAMEDA, Dec. 21.—The large appropriation of taxes for the past year was made yesterday when City Treasurer Lubbock deposited \$210,000 in the city treasury. This amount was immediately deposited in the City of Alameda. The following funds: General, \$112,769; school, \$40,473; water, \$13,110; interest and redemption, \$23,123; park purchase, \$10,000; \$4,000; police pension, \$245; relief, \$900.

CHECK LOSS REPORTED

ALAMEDA, Dec. 21.—E. A. Ralings, commander of Spruce Camp drill team, Woodmen of the World, reported to the police this morning that he had lost a Treasury Department check for \$67.50 in Park street. The check was made out to Ralings.

MY HEART MY HUSBAND

(Continued from Yesterday)

How Robert Savarin thrilled Madge by the Declaration of His Determination About Lillian.

Madge had learned to row in child fashion since she had been with us, the little lake, in no place over three feet deep, being an ideally safe place for juveniles, and she naturally is anxious to display her accomplishment. That the boat leaks slightly, and that her oars are apt to slip, sending splashes of water over her indifference to Madge, although in other situations she is pretty solicitous concerning the comfort of her elders. But on the subject of rowing her brain is single-track and enthusiastic.

A HAPPY COUPLE.

"Hoo-oo! Marion!" I called. "Time to meet mother!"

She turned the boat so quickly that Mr. Savarin nearly lost his balance. I caught a glimpse of foolish masculine shores describing an arc toward the sky, and held my breath as the artist righted himself with an effort.

"Oh-ho, Uncle Robert, I'm so sorry," the child exclaimed. "I guess you're not very used to rowboats, are you?" with impetuosity as unconscious as it was amusing.

"I guess I'm not, sweetheart," he answered, and they were near enough now for me to see the fond twinkle in his eyes as he looked at her. "Not this kind, anyway. But I'll take you out for hours every day you're here," Marion declared, with her words strongly italicized, and Mr. Savarin laughed outright as he met my amused eyes.

"Are you going to meet mother with the boat, Auntie Madge?" Marion queried, and in the same breath: "May I put on my pink dress?"

"Surely, dear," I returned, "but you must hurry. We haven't very much time left. Robert will excuse you if you run, I know."

She tied her boat and skipped away with a backward wave of the hand. Robert Savarin's eyes followed her, but fainter and less thoughtfully from the sign that involuntarily escaped his lips. But the next instant a totally different expression crossed his face, and he looked at me with a little of a smile.

"Marion is not the only one who will have to change, you know," he said, looking down at his bespattered and muddled clothing, so grim and unbecomingly soiled before.

"Marion's companionship is rather trying," I laughed, then added practically: "If you will give your things to Katie when you come down, I can transfer you to her. They will be returned to their prime freshness. Lucky she's a maid."

"Thank you, that is very kind," he said perfectly, and with his mind happily elsewhere.

We had almost reached the house when he spoke again.

"Will you have room in your car for me to go to the station?"

JAPANESE SEEK REASON FOR ANTI- ALIEN LAND LAW

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 21.—Talk of war between Japan and America as an outgrowth of California's anti-Japanese legislation, which prohibits Japanese and other aliens ineligible to citizenship from owning or leasing agricultural lands in the State, is characterized as "the craze" by H. W. Kiyose, one of the Japanese Diplomatic List of Tokyo, who visited the governor's office today.

Kiyose is in California gathering data concerning the reasons why the State adopted the anti-land law. He said he had no intention of extending greetings to Governor William D. Stephens. In the absence of the governor, Kiyose talked with his private secretary, Martin Madison.

"Madge would not object to American excluding her nation from the United States," said Kiyose, "but America would only grant to the Japanese, now in this country equal rights with American citizens."

EARLY MORNING THIEF GETS \$20

SAN LEANDRO, Dec. 21.—A burglar entered the home of Richard J. Smith, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, 245, 246, 247, 248, 249, 250, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268, 269, 270, 271, 272, 273, 274, 275, 276, 277, 278, 279, 280, 281, 282, 283, 284, 285, 286, 287, 288, 289, 290, 291, 292, 293, 294, 295, 296, 297, 298, 299, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 307, 308, 309, 310, 311, 312, 313, 314, 315, 316, 317, 318, 319, 320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336, 337, 338, 339, 340, 341, 342, 343, 344, 345, 346, 347, 348, 349, 350, 351, 352, 353, 354, 355, 356, 357, 358, 359, 360, 361, 362, 363, 364, 365, 366, 367, 368, 369, 370, 371, 372, 373, 374, 375, 376, 377, 378, 379, 380, 381, 382, 383, 384, 385, 386, 387, 388, 389, 390, 391, 392, 393, 394, 395, 396, 397, 398, 399, 400, 401, 402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, 408, 409, 410, 411, 412, 413, 414, 415, 416, 417, 418, 419, 420, 421, 422, 423, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, 429, 430, 431, 432, 433, 434, 435, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 443, 444, 445, 446, 447, 448, 449, 450, 451, 452, 453, 454, 455, 456, 457, 458, 459, 460, 461, 462, 463, 464, 465, 466, 467, 468, 469, 470, 471, 472, 473, 474, 475, 476, 477, 478, 479, 480, 481, 482, 483, 484, 485, 486, 487, 488, 489, 490, 491, 492, 493, 494, 495, 496, 497, 498, 499, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510, 511, 512, 513, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 521, 522, 523, 524, 525, 526, 527, 528, 529, 530, 531, 532, 533, 534, 535, 536, 537, 538, 539, 540, 541, 542, 543, 544, 545, 546, 547, 548, 549, 550, 551, 552, 553, 554, 555, 556, 557, 558, 559, 560, 561, 562, 563, 564, 565, 566, 567, 568, 569, 570, 571, 572, 573, 574, 575, 576, 577, 578, 579, 580, 581, 582, 583, 584, 585, 586, 587, 588, 589, 590, 591, 592, 593, 594, 595, 596, 597, 598, 599, 600, 601, 602, 603, 604, 605, 606, 607, 608, 609, 610, 611, 612, 613, 614, 615, 616, 617, 618, 619, 620, 621, 622, 623, 624, 625, 626, 627, 628, 629, 630, 631, 632, 633, 634, 635, 636, 637, 638, 639, 640, 641, 642, 643, 644, 645, 646, 647, 648, 649, 650, 651, 652, 653, 654, 655, 656, 657, 658, 659, 660, 661, 662, 663, 664, 665, 666, 667, 668, 669, 670, 671, 672, 673, 674, 675, 676, 677, 678, 679, 680, 681, 682, 683, 684, 685, 686, 687, 688, 689, 690, 691, 692, 693, 694, 695, 696, 697, 698, 699, 700, 701, 702, 703, 704, 705, 706, 707, 708, 709, 710, 711, 712, 713, 714, 715, 716, 717, 718, 719, 720, 721, 722, 723, 724, 725, 726, 727, 728, 729, 730, 731, 732, 733, 734, 735, 736, 737, 738, 739, 740, 741, 742, 743, 744, 745, 746, 747, 748, 749, 750, 751, 752, 753, 754, 755, 756, 757, 758, 759, 760, 761, 762, 763, 764, 765, 766, 767, 768, 769, 770, 771, 772, 773, 774, 775, 776, 777, 778, 779, 780, 781, 782, 783, 784, 785, 786, 787, 788, 789, 790, 791, 792, 793, 794, 795, 796, 797, 798, 799, 800, 801, 802, 803, 804, 805, 806, 807, 808, 809, 810, 811, 812, 813, 814, 815, 816, 817, 818, 819, 820, 821, 822, 823, 824, 825, 826, 827, 828, 829, 830, 831, 832, 833, 834, 835, 836, 837, 838, 839, 840, 841, 842, 843, 844, 845, 846, 847, 848, 849, 850, 851, 852, 853, 854, 855, 856, 857, 858, 859, 860, 861, 862, 863, 864, 865, 866, 867, 868, 869, 870, 871, 872, 873, 874, 875, 876, 877, 878, 879, 880, 881, 882, 883, 884, 885, 886, 887, 888, 889, 890, 891, 892, 893, 894, 895, 896, 897, 898, 899, 900, 901, 902, 903, 904, 905, 906, 907, 908, 909, 910, 911, 912, 913, 914, 915, 916, 917, 918, 919, 920, 921, 922, 923, 924, 925, 926, 927, 928, 929, 930, 931, 932, 933, 934, 935, 936, 937, 938, 939, 940, 941, 942, 943, 944, 945, 946, 947, 948, 949, 950, 951, 952, 953, 954, 955, 956, 957, 958, 959, 960, 961, 962, 963, 964, 965, 966, 967, 968, 969, 970, 971, 972, 973, 974, 975, 976, 977, 978, 979, 980, 981, 982, 983, 984, 985, 986, 987, 988, 989, 990, 991, 992, 993, 994, 995, 996, 997, 998, 999, 1000.

TEN ACRES AND TWO WIVES, PLAN TO LURE YOUTHS

DENVER, Dec. 21.—George Smith, a farmer living seven miles west of Denver, believes he has a plan to bring the young men from the city back to the farm. In a letter to Governor Shapiro today, Smith suggested that the State "give ten acres of land and allow two wives to every young fellow who is willing to work."

Stockyards Control Arguments Made

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—Arguments on the methods of moving the stockyards from control of the big meat packers were heard by Justice Stafford in the District of Columbia Supreme Court today. General Kressel, Assistant to Attorney General Palmer, attacked the packers' plan, charging that it would be a violation of the anti-trust laws. Under this plan, the yards would be turned over to a holding company whose stock would be sold to a syndicate. Kressel urged the court to appoint trustees to sell the yards.

Attorney Charles Douglas, representing the packers, said some of the yards are not profitable and that, consequently, holding companies would have to be formed unless the unprofitable yards were scrapped, involving loss to their owners.

Douglas asked the court to grant time for the packers to obtain the services of a syndicate because of the suddenness of the move. The court, presided by Justice Brandeis, which had first offered to take over the yards.

Legion Memorial Site Is Selected

RICHMOND, Dec. 21.—The purchase of the site for the Legion memorial building and city hall was settled last night by the City Council without controversy. Two petitions were filed with the Council, one opposing the site and asking that the building be located downtown, signed by 151 residents of Richmond, and the other upholding the selection of the city hall site, and signed by 450 residents of the city.

The Council decided the petition filed without argument, and then adopted a resolution accepting the deed given by M. A. Hays as agent for burg brothers, owners of the site, and instructed the drawing of a warrant for \$24,800 to pay for the property. This was the site selected by the American Legion.

Cleanup Is Ordered In Bay Point Dives

MARTINEZ, Dec. 21.—Determined to stop gambling and illicit liquor traffic in Bay Point, District Attorney A. B. Tanning announced today that he would have four deputy sheriffs stationed in Bay Point over every week-end. Bay Point recently was the scene of a raid conducted by Sheriff J. E. Yeade and Tanning, in which five women were arrested, 10,000 gallons of liquor seized and which resulted in red-light abatement suits being directed against eight establishments.

Pasadena to Have New Baseball Park

PASADENA, Dec. 21.—Tournament Park, scene of the East vs. West New Year's day football games, will be turned into a recreation civic center, according to plans announced by John J. Hamilton, the city engineer. A stadium is to be built in another part of the city for the football games.

Pat O'Brien's Body Is En Route East

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 21.—The body of Lieutenant Pat O'Brien, noted war aviator, who committed suicide at the Alexandria Hotel, after attempting a reconciliation with his wife, today was en route to the family home in Monmouth, Ill., for burial. A sister, Mrs. Clara Clegg, accompanied the body.

TONG MEN KILLED

LA GRANDE, Ore., Dec. 21.—Jen Shen, Chinese, a member of the Hop Sing tong, was shot and killed in a rooming house here Sunday night. Chan Mon Bon, another Chinese, and also of the Hop Sing tong, and Mrs. Charles Jones, white, were arrested following the tragedy. Mrs. Jones is said by the coroner and sheriff to have accused Chin of having slain Jen in a quarrel over herself.

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ONE of our inquiring friends asks a question, thus: "What chance has Broken Hills stock to experience a sustained rise in the market, when the market outlook is so completely beclouded for other stocks?"

We answer: Unlike so-called investment and semi-investment securities, mining issues of the character of Broken Hills—representing a mine-in-the-making—always eventually break away from their market moorings. Despite financial crises they, after a sympathetic halting period, move in the market in sympathy with and in reflection of actual mine developments.

Here is a simile: The price of gold is stable. If you were to find in your back yard millions in gold, buried there in prehistoric days, or later, the value of your discovery would be appraisable in cash. World-wide financial stringency would not retard a rise in the value of your yard. If anything, the rise would be facilitated.

The Broken Hills Silver Corporation, in its main BROKEN HILLS shaft, sunk to depth of 250 feet, has followed all the way down a massive body of silver-sulphide ore which gives evidence of persisting to great depth. Potential value of millions is indicated in this single deposit.

Five hundred feet to the east, a cross-cut on the 150-foot level of the new BELMONT shaft is rapidly approaching the bonanza Belmont cross-vein, from which test shipments of better than \$200 per ton ore have recently been made from the 90-foot level of the Belmont Incline (prospecting) shaft. Officially, it is stated that production at the rate of \$2,500.00 per day may be expected when the cross-vein is intersected by the cross-cut and drifted on at the 150-foot level and ample stoping ground is afforded—a matter of a little time.

And now comes the newest development and one which the company's mine experts declare may prove even more puissant with meaning than the higher grade silver discoveries made elsewhere on the property. Just 1250 feet south of the Belmont, the CROWN POINT vein, at a depth of 90 feet, in the east drift, 15 feet from the bottom of the shaft, assays 69 ounces silver and 51 per cent lead per ton.

DOLLAR'S WORTH OF SEALS MAY SAVE ONE LIFE

But Three Days Remain in
Which to Purchase to
Aid Campaign



Three days more to buy 1920 Christmas Seals. A dollar's worth of seals may save one person's life, according to the leaders in the Alameda County Tuberculosis Association. "What better way could 'Peace on earth, good will to all' be expressed than the purchase of the penny stickers is but a vote to give sunshine, fresh air and decent food to those who have been attacked by the white plague, whether they be little children or adults, those who are actively supporting the holiday distribution of gay holiday novelties explain.

The 1920 sale of Christmas Seals ends on Christmas eve. The proceeds will be devoted to extending the fight in Alameda county against tuberculosis and protecting children against a chance contact. A program including a larger use of summer camps, maintenance of a promotorium and a movement to supply milk to undernourished public school children in whose small bodies the germ might find a ready breeding ground, has been outlined by the local organization for the coming year.

Although the Christmas Seal sale is national in its scope, 95 per cent of the funds remains within the district in which they are collected. Alameda county has placed a high standard for her fight against the white plague and is recognized as a leader throughout the State.

The tuberculosis society has the support of the medical fraternity. Its holiday campaign for funds is being carried on by scores of prominent society and club women throughout the Eastbay cities.

PIONEER DIES.
LOS ANGELES, Dec. 21.—Larkin W. Carr, 82, a pioneer of California since 1852, is dead in his home here today. He was a son of Jesse D. Carr.

School Board Ousts Pease From Sanitation Committee

Following immediately upon the county Grand Jury's report that the sanitation of the public schools is not bad, thus vindicating the majority of the Board of Education, Director J. Loran Pease of the board was summarily removed last night from his health and sanitation committee. Pease was not present at the meeting.

President Floyd Gray of the board suggested that, as president, he thought it best to remove Pease from all committees. Director Young objected.

"For his own good, let us get him off the health and sanitation committee," said Young. "But let us not bar him from every committee. The man did a great part in war times and that must not be forgotten even though he has ridden a hobby to death."

It was the consistent agitation by Pease which started the whole trouble about the alleged insanitary condition in the Oakland public school system.

The report of the Grand Jury in the matter was read. It repeated the old assertion that the plumbing is of old-fashioned type in some schools and necessarily hard to keep clean. Otherwise it gave the Board of Education a clean bill of health.

STATEMENT OF JURY.
The grand jury's report on its investigation of the charges follows:

"The grand jury called before it Dr. J. Loran Pease, Dr. Kirby Smith, the city health officer of Oakland, Dr. Alvin Powell, the medical director of the Oakland schools, and Dr. R. T. Leago, professor of hygiene of the University of California, together with the other members of the board of education and certain executive officers of the school department.

"A committee of the grand jury made a personal investigation at the Tompkins and Elmhurst schools, the two schools specifically mentioned by Dr. Pease as being in the most deplorable condition in respect to their sanitary equipment. This committee found that no condition existed at those schools which warranted criticism.

"This grand jury finds that the charges are not sustained.

CONDITIONS ARE SANITARY.
"The grand jury finds that in the construction of the older buildings a type of plumbing and toilet facilities was installed which was proper equipment at the time of its installation and was standard up to about twelve years ago. That while improved methods of sanitation would not make this the best equipment for new construction, still such

equipment is not improper and is not unsanitary.

"The equipment is kept in a clean condition and all reasonable precautions to protect the health of the school children are being followed by the board of education of the city of Oakland and the school children.

"The grand jury finds that no situation exists in the public schools which is dangerous to the health of the school children on account of defective plumbing or sanitation and deeply regrets that such undue publicity has been given to charges which have no foundation in fact."

The matter of using the north end of Independence Square for the site of the new East Oakland Cosmopolitan high school was set over, pending a final opinion by the District Attorney as to whether a park site can be used for school purposes.

Members of the construction department, when questioned, asserted that no commodious school building, of the class desired, can be built in a space 300 feet square, and the board has not money enough to construct a four-story building.

If the District Attorney rules against the Board of Education acquiring Independence Square, it is admitted that the Board of Education will seek a site for the East Oakland High school in some other district.

A "progress report" of the school construction to date showed the following:

SCHOOL CONSTRUCTION.
Contracts awarded, \$222,175, including Alameda, Fruitvale, Lafayette, Manzanita, Piedmont avenue, Prescott, Santa Fe, Tompkins, all schools, and the grading of Melrose school grounds.

Plans in hands of Board of Education for advertising for bids, totaling \$130,000. These include the \$20,000 Laker gymnasium, the \$50,000 Olive street school, and the \$50,000 Highlands school.

Plans up for approval of the joint committee of the Board of Education, totaling \$138,000, and including \$20,000 for the Laker gymnasium and \$118,000 for Fremont high school gymnasium and shops.

Plans approved and in hands of the architect, totaling \$225,000 and including the \$185,000 Lockwood school and the \$150,000 Bay school.

Plans approved by the board last night and referred to the architect included \$385,000 in construction and apply to the \$70,000 Rock Ridge school, the \$40,000 Stonehurst school and the \$275,000 Fruitvale Junior high school.

RAID FOR DOPE DISCLOSES HUGE STILLING PLANT

Five Copper Bottoms and
Quantity of Mash Seized
at Crockett

CROCKETT, Dec. 21.—Headed by H. B. Meader, member of the State Board of Pharmacy, a posse of state pharmacy inspectors swooped down on the Canton cafe here last night, broke down the doors and arrested R. Sing, proprietor of the restaurant and two employees, Lee Lung and Toy Sing, Chinese, on a charge of conducting an opium den. In addition the officers seized one of the most complete liquor manufacturing outfits yet found in this state, consisting of five complete copper stills and fifteen 30-gallon kegs of liquor.

Two huge copper vats containing twenty gallons each of mash were in operation, from which whisky and brandy were being manufactured.

In the basement of the restaurant the officers, according to their report, uncovered the liquor cache, consisting of 300 gallons of whisky and brandy.

'You Beautiful Doll!' Meet Miss Lockwood!

Meet Miss Mary Elizabeth Lockwood! She is holding a reception at the Junior Red Cross, 557 Twelfth street. The lovely jointed doll, the gift of Lockwood school, arrived with a complete wardrobe of hand-made clothes yesterday. She is waiting a foster mother chosen by Santa Claus.

Oakland public schools and Miss Lockwood have stocked up the Red Cross shop with a splendid array of holiday toys. Kindergarten classes have also added a number of Christmas trees. Hand-made garments contributed by the vocational classes offer a choice line.

The shop is keeping up its offering of worn shoes, garments and millinery.

DISHWASHER GONE.
C. L. Parker, proprietor of a restaurant at 821 Franklin street, gave the dishwasher in his establishment \$20 and instructed him to purchase some ham and bacon from a local packing company. The dishwasher failed to return and as a result Parker appealed to the police today.

Police to Search For Missing Woman

Police have been asked to conduct a search for Mrs. Nelly Spindler, former patient of the Napa state hospital, who disappeared from the home of her relatives in El Cerrito on Saturday. She is described as five feet, eight inches in height and 35 years of age and of slight build. When last seen she wore a brown plush hat, with a yellow band, a long brown coat, under which was a black and white checked dress. She wore low shoes.

\$50,000 Apartment House Is Projected

Application was made today to the Building department for a permit for the erection of a three-story, 44-room apartment house on the east side of Alice street, 280 feet south of Nineteenth, to cost \$50,000, by J. C. Westphal, 1823 Harrison street.

Health Survey Being Made By Four Nurses

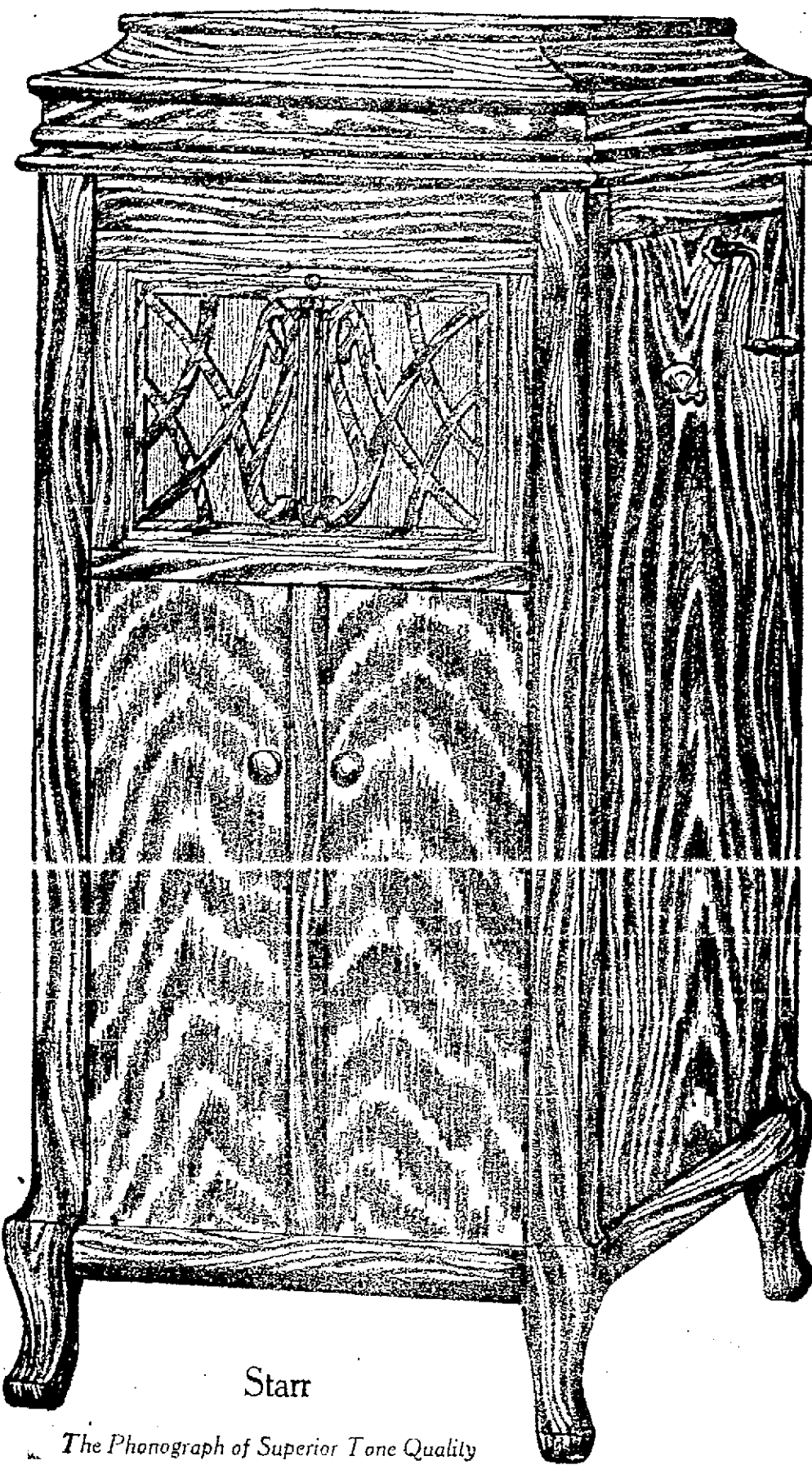
A survey of Oakland housing and health conditions, as part of the training of public health nurses for the government service, is being made by Misses Blanch Dickinson, Beatrice Saulsbury, Gilberta Durland and Veronica Wiemals, operating from the offices of the health department.

The young women, during rainy weather, are compiling statistics, and on other days are viewing the housing conditions from a public health standpoint.

Cyclist Going Too Fast, Witnesses Say

Police authorities were today investigating circumstances surrounding the motorcycle-automobile accident in which Cecil Newlan, 662 Lakeshore avenue, suffered injuries from which he may die. Witnesses told the officers Newlan was traveling at a high rate of speed on his motorcycle when he crashed into the vehicle operated by Martin Renatti. Newlan was rushed to Providence hospital, where surgeons declared he was suffering from a fractured skull.

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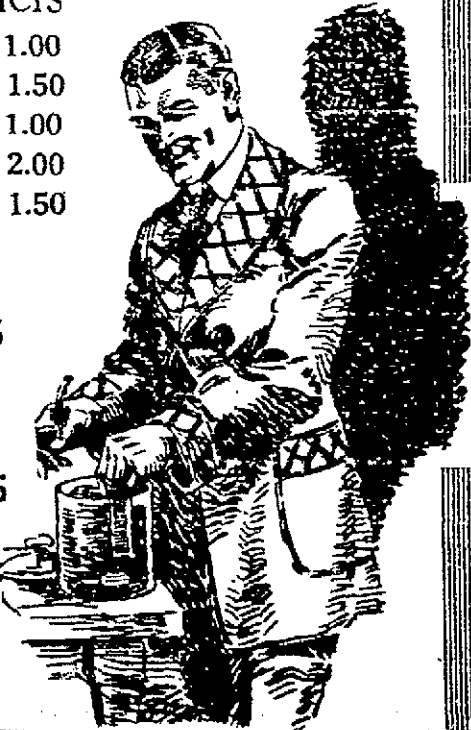
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